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W.J.C. Charges Egypt, Iraq Wreck Jews

The World Jewish Congress issued a White Paper on the plight of the Jewish minorities in Egypt and Iraq.

The paper, released at headquarters of the Congress, 1834 Broadway, New York, by Dr. Nahum Goldmann, chairman of its executive committee, charged that "what is going on in Egypt and Iraq is a deliberate and calculated program to exterminate a defenseless minority group" and that "unless the tide of persecution is turned back, it threatens the total disinfranchisement and uprooting of large and efficient Jewish communities."

Dr. Goldmann said it was ironic that Egyptian delegates were members of the United Nations General Assembly that adopted provisions outlawing genocide, now awaiting ratification by the various countries, and the International Declaration of Human Rights.

"The Arab states have floated commitments in the United Nations Charter which seek to promote respect for human rights," Dr. Goldmann said. "I hope that upon receipt of the World Jewish Congress White Paper, the member nations of the United Nations will communicate to the governments of Egypt and Iraq their outrage over the mistreatment and abuse inflicted upon the Jews in those two countries."

The White Paper offers what it calls documentary proof of complicity of the governments of Egypt and Iraq and all organs of public opinion in the two countries in the "campaign of terror against the Jewish residents."

Quoting from recent legislation in the two Arab countries, and from [illegible] by neutral observers, the [illegible] that the campaign [illegible] and economic, says the paper, [illegible] the Palestine question was placed on the U. N. agenda. In the case of Iraq, the White Paper said, it dates back to 1930 but has now taken a virulent form.

"The humiliation of defeat in their war against Israel," the paper continued, "has intensified the anti-Jewish campaign, but it is by no means the main reason for the anti-Jewish measures in Egypt and Iraq. The governments of those two countries failed to solve the basic problems of adjusting the economic and social conditions of the population to the post-war situation and to the new ideas which, though slowly and under great handicap, are penetrating the Middle East. They required a scapegoat and the Jews have filled this role. Not to be overlooked are the material gains from the spoliation of Jewish property.

In Egypt, it is charged, the "responsible authorities, in their effort to divert popular discontent, not only remained passive but at-

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BOLIVIAN PAMPHLETS CALL FOR POGROMS

The World Jewish Congress made public in New York a letter to Dr. Martinez Vargas, Bolivian ambassador at Washington, asking him to transmit to his government a request for official Bolivian action against a new series of anti-Semitic incitements which endanger the Jewish population of Bolivia. The letter, signed by Dr. Robert S. Marcus, director of the Political Department of the Congress, declared that the anti-Semitic campaign was being conducted by anti-Democratic elements in Bolivia and that the attacks actually were directed against the present democratic government of Bolivia.

The letter cited press and leaflet campaigns in many sections of Bolivia which called for pogroms against the Jews and the confining of the Jewish population to ghettos. One of the most vicious examples cited in the letter was a leaflet circulated in the Bolivian city of Cochabama by "The Friends of the People" which urged the population to "grasp weapons for the elimination of the Jewish race."

"Such activities," the letter pointed out, "are incompatible with the moral and legal obligations which flow from the exercise of fundamental freedoms of speech and information. These obligations have been recognized by the United Nations, their legal committees and specialized agencies."

Once Nazi Captive, Now U.S. Citizen

Six years spent in the Nazi concentration camp at Buchenwald, Germany, failed to [illegible] the first displaced person in the United States to become a citizen.

With him at the ceremony was his wife, the former Miss Alice Floraheim, who formerly resided at 189 East Fortieth Street, New York, and whose marriage to him made his early citizenship possible. They have been married for two years. Most of that time was spent by Dr. Heller working in hospitals in New York.

Dr. Heller was in Prague when the Nazis took over Czechoslovakia. An early victim of their purges, he was arrested in 1939 and sent immediately to Buchenwald. The fences around that camp were the limits of his world for six years while he unaccountably missed the frequent massacres of inmates.

The gates of Buchenwald opened for him when American forces captured the camp. Dr. Heller then went with the United States forces, working with them until April of 1946, when he was sent to the United States.

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Agency Nails End Of Appeal Dispute

The Jerusalem Executive of the Jewish Agency for Palestine, in a cabled message to the American section of the agency, hailed the settlement of the dispute within the United Palestine Appeal and expressed hope that the appeal would continue "as a unifying central fund-raising agency for the upbuilding of Israel" in America.

The Executive, which embraces all political parties in Israel, noted "with particular satisfaction that the status and integrity of the historic Zionist funds have been maintained and their authority upheld." The message was addressed by Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, chairman of the American section of the Agency.

The Zionist funds referred to were the Keren Hayesod (Palestine Foundation Fund) and the Keren Kayemeth (Jewish National Fund), chief beneficiaries of the Appeal. They are devoted to immigration, rehabilitation and resettlement in Israel.

The Jerusalem Executive reported "complete solidarity with our colleagues in the United States of America" and added:

"We particularly desire to stress that the American section of the Jewish Agency, with its past record of great accomplishment in the political field, is entrusted, now as heretofore, with full responsibility for representing, guiding and supervising all activities on behalf of the Zionist movement and the Jewish Agency on the American scene and all organized effort connected with the upbuilding of Israel."

The message paid tribute to the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds in the negotiations that led to the settlement clarifying disbursement of funds and [illegible] United Service for New Americans are the beneficiaries of the funds raised by the United Jewish Appeal.

Settle Row Over Funds To Israel

The United Palestine Appeal and the Committee of Contributors and Workers settled their differences, assuring united fund-raising in America in 1949 in behalf of Jewish needs throughout the world.

Announcement of the settlement was made by Edwin Rosenberg, of New York, chairman of the conciliation committee of the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds, which conducted negotiations between the two groups in behalf of its 800 organized Jewish member communities of the United States. For the last several weeks the Palestine Appeal and the Committee of Contributors had differed on various policies relating to the campaign for funds for Israel.

The accord, the council's announcement said, "covered the powers and functions of the UPA, clarified procedures for disbursement and allocation of funds, composition of governing bodies, procedures for reconstituting the United Jewish Appeal, voting by mail or telegraph in certain circumstances, and provided for reconciliation of the Dec. 11-12 conference called by the Committee of Contributors."

One of the differences between the groups concerned the question of Jewish community representation on the governing bodies of The Palestine Appeal. It was agreed that 60 per cent of the representation on the bodies would be designated by the Palestine Foundation Fund (Keren Hayesod) and the Jewish National Fund (Keren Kayemeth), beneficiaries of the UPA, and 40 per cent representation would be from the American Jewish communities.

The Palestine Appeal had advocated 33 1/3 per cent Jewish community representation on its governing bodies. The Committee of Contributors had demanded 50 per cent.

The procedure for designation of community representatives will be determined by the Palestine appeal in consultation with the council and a small subcommittee of the Committee of Contributors will be available to the council for consultation regarding these procedures, the announcement said, adding:

"Subject to the above provisions, the UPA will elect its own officers, will determine the organization's administrative budget and all questions of staff personnel and will establish all rules of procedure required for the functions of the UPA."

Regarding the disbursement and allocation of funds, the announcement said:

"The income of the UPA will be made available with the greatest promptitude to the principal beneficiaries, namely the treasury of the Jewish Agency for Palestine and the head offices of the Palestine Foundation Fund and the Jewish National Fund in Israel. The UPA will disburse such funds through agencies and procedures authorized by these beneficiaries.

"The UPA will also be empowered to make its own recommendations regarding special allocations of grants for agencies other than the principal beneficiaries. Recommendations made by the American Palestine Foundation Fund and the Jewish National Fund will go to the UPA for consideration and action by it before they are transmitted to Israel. (Minority as well as majority reports may be transmitted.)

"Final decision on all grants and allocations rests with the head offices of the Palestine Foundation Fund and the Jewish National Fund in Israel and the Executive of the Jewish Agency. The UPA will negotiate an agreement with the JDC for setting up the UJA

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DP Entry To U.S. Lags Far Below Plan

The movement of displaced persons to the United States under the Displaced Persons Act of 1948 continues to lag.

According to the International Refugee Organization, one shipload of 802 refugees left Europe for the United States in November, and two ships carrying a total of 850 left or will leave during December. This compares with planned movements of five ships in November and seven in December.

The organization's headquarters said at Geneva, Switzerland, it was hoped to move seven ships in January. A spokesman stressed the many difficulties in getting the program under way, but was unable to cite any special reasons for the limited movements.

In June IRO officials had said that as far as organization's end of the matter was concerned they would be ready to move 10,000 monthly by October. There have not been 10,000 moved to the United States altogether since Displaced Persons Act went into effect. With nearly half a year of the act's effectiveness gone, there has been barely a start on the program of 205,000 refugees authorized for 1948-49.

Figures for the movement of refugees during October showed the United States still was taking fewer than Canada, Australia, Brazil, Argentina and only a few more than Britain. On the whole October was a good month with 21,303 refugees finding new homes or returning to old ones. The United States received 1,400.

The IRO is trying hard to avoid criticising anyone for the slow [illegible] the United States. As [illegible] hands of persons have [illegible] final [illegible] by [illegible] told that the shortage of shipping was no longer a major factor governing the movements of refugees out of Europe. Several times in recent months ships have been delayed awaiting passengers.

IRO sources say that the United States Consulates in Germany have greatly improved and speeded up their procedures for screening applicants and giving security checks. Consular officials now go to camps to carry out the processing for visas, instead of making displaced persons trek long distances to the consulates. Consular staffs have been increased.

It seems, nevertheless, to be an excess of paperwork somewhere in the United States governmental machinery that is frustrating the program. Professional refugee administrators say privately that they suspect the Displaced Persons Commission is short of both money and trained personnel needed to handle the number of immigrants contemplated by Congress, reports the New York Times. Both Americans and Europeans experienced in dealing with refugee movements since the war have always maintained that the United States act was practically impossible to administer.

Morgenthau Assails Britain On Cyprus Jews

An appeal to Prime Minister Clement Attlee of Great Britain and to former Prime Minister Winston Churchill for the immediate release of the 11,000 Jewish refugees on the Mediterranean island of Cyprus was made in New York by Henry Morgenthau Jr., general chairman of the $250,000 United Jewish Appeal campaign.

The former U.S. Secretary of the Treasury cabled to the two leaders that the refugees in British camps on the island of Cyprus, among them 600 babies, were receiving inhuman treatment.

"At this time of the year, when the entire world is seeking to give proper expression to the spirit of brotherhood," Mr. Morgenthau cabled, "I address this earnest appeal to you to let my people go. If the British people could see the intolerable conditions under which the Cyprus refugees live, they would demand that the refugees be freed to leave for Israel at once."

Mr. Morgenthau also asked Mr. Churchill to intervene with the British Government to bring about the release of the refugees.

"The world cannot forget these helpless people without committing a great crime against humanity and against the principles of human freedom which Britain and the United States fought so hard to preserve," Mr. Morgenthau said.

He stressed the fact that the people and Government of Israel are eager and anxious to receive "the Cyprus prisoners" and give them an opportunity to build new lives. Mr. Morgenthau pointed out also that of the 11,900 Jews in the Cyprus concentration camps at least 50 per cent have been there for two years, another 25 per cent for more than [illegible] and [illegible]

U.S. Policy Favors Help To DP On Way To Israel

The executive committee of the International Refugee Organization meeting in Rome, Italy, has decided to take up the problem of whether the organization should finance the immigration of refugees to Israel at its next special session on January 25.

The refugee immigration to Israel gave rise to a strong statement of United States policy in the matter by the American delegate, George L. Warren in the last closed meeting of the executive committee, according to the New York Times.

The British delegation had proposed that the organization should continue its policy, announced on May 18 of this year, of not participating in the movements of refugees from Europe to any of the countries in the Middle East engaged in the hostilities in Palestine. This proposal was opposed by Mr. Warren who said the United States would not agree to any policy that involved discrimination in the resettlement of refugees, particularly in Palestine.

Mr. Warren contended that there was no basis for the argument that the immigration of Jews to Palestine made it impossible to repatriate Arab refugees. He pointed out that the vast majority of Jewish refugees were being resettled in new agricultural settlements and in new houses not previously occupied by Arabs.

As for the argument that the organization should not send displaced persons to the area, Mr. Warren described it as "specious," saying that Jewish displaced persons were anxious to go to Israel, that there was no evidence that those who had gone [illegible] for [illegible]

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Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Simon and daughter, Phyllis, Terrebonne Avenue, will be spending ten days in Ste. Agathe, for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton Cohen and son, Steven, Grand Boulevard, will be spending ten days in Ste. Agathe, for the New Years holidays.

Mrs. I. Abrams, Ridgevale Avenue, visited her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sol. Max, in Ottawa, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Shulman, Coronet Avenue, will visit relatives in New York for the holidays.

Stephen F. Asch, Dufferin Road, will go to New York to visit his uncle, Dr. M. Medina, for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Singer and family, Queen Mary Road, will spend the holidays in Ste. Agathe.

Mrs. P. Brownlender and her two sons, Derek and Barry, De[illegible] left this week for Miami Beach, Florida; Bermuda, and Trinidad, West Indies, where he will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Rothman, Mountain Sights, have with them for the holidays their daughter, Renee, who is a senior student at Centenary Junior College, in Hackettstown, N.J.

Mrs. S. Dick, Dornal Avenue, is visiting relatives in Boston, Mass.

Miss Pearl Fineberg, of Detroit, Mich., is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Rosnick, Queen Mary Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wolfe, Bonavista Avenue, who are occupying their cottage at Miami Beach, Florida, have visiting them for the holiday, their granddaughter, Miss Roslyn Wolfe, Vendome Avenue.

Mrs. J. N. Neumann, Fulton Avenue, visited her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Goldenberg, and son, Nathan Charles, in Toronto, Ont.

Norman Wolfe, who is studying at the University of Pennsylvania, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wolfe, Vendome Avenue.

Mrs. A. Keyfits, Trans Island Avenue, returned from a three-week trip to New York; New Haven and Hartford, Conn., where she visited her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Max Holtman, and children, Lonnie and Arnold David.

Mrs. Rose De Vries returned to her home in New York after visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Drukerman, Isabella Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Laing, Duquette Avenue, left for New York; Philadelphia, Pa.; and Florida, where they will spend the winter season. They were accompanied by N. Laing, Queen Mary Road.

Miss Freda Epstein, Cote St. Luc Road, spent a few days in New York attending a Bnai Brith Girls' District Number One executive meeting.

A family Chanukah supper party [illegible] Avenue, Mrs. B. Tinkoff, Mrs. M. Perlman, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Perlman and sons, Sydney and Edward; Mr. and Mrs. William Malus and sons, Michael and Norman; Mrs. Charles Harris, and daughter, Brenda; Miss Ethel Malus, Heather and David Tinkoff, and S. Lifshitz. Those unable to be present were: Charles Harris and daughter, Eileen; Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Rosenzweig and children, Michael and Ellen; and Mr. and Mrs. Joel Marcovitz and son, Peter. The table was decorated with Chanukah cake and candles. Heather Tinkoff told the Chanukah story and the children sang Chanukah songs.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Tupper, Davaar Avenue, were at Manor House, in Ste. Agathe.

Dr. and Mrs. Myer Handelman, 5076 Wilderton Crescent, spent several days at Manor House, in Ste. Agathe.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kahn, and baby daughter, Suzanne, of Far Rockaway, Long Island, N. Y., will be spending the holidays with their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. I. Birnbaum, Durocher Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Nemtin, and son, Sydney, have taken up residence at 4000 St. Catherine Road.

Mrs. P. Kalichman, Clark Street, is in New York visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. Glat, of Bronx.

Miss Alexandra Kobriner, of New York, attended the bar-mitzvah celebration of Herbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Zanger, Pratt Avenue.

Mrs. L. Solomon, and daughter, Barbara, Esplanade Avenue, spent some time in Chicago visiting her sisters, Mrs. Robert Berson, Mrs. Eli Britton, and Mrs. L. Westrich, and were later joined by Mr. Solomon, and visited in Toronto, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Alrod and daughter, Thelma, Wiseman Avenue, are leaving to spend the holidays in New York, and Philadelphia and Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Uditsky, formerly of 964 Pratt Avenue, have moved to their new home, 127 St. Catherine Road.

Mrs. S. Baxenbaum, Park Avenue, is leaving to visit friends in Toronto, Ont., and will go to Detroit, Mich., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Harry Adler and family; and will visit her niece, Mrs. William Sandman, in Chicago.

Miss Sylvia Bredin, Drummore Avenue, left to spend ten days in [illegible]

[illegible] Avenue; J. Gerlinger, Champagneur Avenue; Martin Rothman, Hudson Road, and S. Harris, Quebec Avenue, returned after spending several days at Manor House, in Ste. Agathe.

Miss Rita Bernstein, Champagneur Avenue, was at Manor House, in Ste. Agathe, for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Edelstein, 764 Davaar Avenue, were at Manor House, in Ste. Agathe.

Henry Marcovitz, McEachran Avenue, is spending some time in England, France, and other parts of the continent.

Mrs. Samuel Zanger, Pratt Avenue, left to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Zanger and Doctors Adam and Eugenia Kobriner, in New York, for three weeks.

Mrs. Frank Temkin, St. Joseph Boulevard West, left for New York, and Miami Beach, Florida, to be away for about three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Polansky and sons, Hyman and Harold, 4466 Laval Avenue, are leaving to spend the holidays at their country home in Lac Remand.

H. S. Fineberg, Jeanne Mance Street, left for Rochester, N.Y., to join Mrs. Fineberg, who has spent the last two months there with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Rubenstein, and children, Nancy Fay, Michael Ian, and Alan Hugh. After the holiday season, Mr. and Mrs. Fineberg will return to Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Alfandri, Victoria Avenue, will be spending some time in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Goldenberg, Victoria Avenue, spent several days in Quebec City.

Miss Lois Ressler, Roslyn Avenue, left for Atlanta, Georgia, where she will be the guest of Miss Barbara Berman for the holiday season. On her return home, she will spend a short visit in New York, to be away in all, for about three weeks.

Mrs. M. Albert, of Rochester, N. Y., visited her son-in-law, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. I. U. Michael, Victoria Avenue, and left for Hollywood, Florida.

Mrs. R. M. Pierce, Claremont Avenue, has returned from Lusk, Wyoming, where she had visited her son, Jack, for four months.

Mrs. Albert Michael, Victoria Avenue, is leaving to spend the winter in Miami, Florida.

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Mrs. Albert Michael, Victoria Avenue, is spending the season in Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Gross, Sherbrooke Street West, are spending the season in Florida.

Mrs. S. Rosen, de Bullion Street, entertained at a tea presentation in the Trigana Room of the Bucharest, honoring Miss Nellie Libstug, 6180 Esplanade Avenue, prior to her marriage to Joseph Miller, St. Urbain Street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bigman, of Quebec City, are receiving there on Saturday, December 25, in honor of the engagement of their eldest daughter, Roslyn Lillian, to Murray Mendelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Shiar Mendelson, of Toronto, Ont., who will be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Goldberg, Esplanade Avenue, received at a cocktail party, celebrating the engagement of their daughter, Ruth, to Edgar Horace Cohen, son of Mrs. A. E. Cohen, Grey Avenue, and the late A. E. Cohen. Mrs. Cohen poured for about sixty guests.

[illegible] Hyman, son of Mr. [illegible] Hyman, 766 [illegible]

[illegible] and Mary Shubert. A reception entertained.

Mrs. Gordon Brown, 78 Pagnuelo Avenue, entertained about thirty-five guests at luncheon at Ruby Foo's, honoring Mrs. Alec Freedman, 4372 Isabella Avenue, formerly Miss Gilda Shirley Fried; and for Miss Pauline Shapiro, 6560 Durocher Avenue, fiancee of Samuel Fried, 622 McEachran Avenue, and a bride-elect of January 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Moe Schnapp and sons, Herbert and David, 6098 Park Avenue, who are leaving shortly to take up residence in California, were entertained at a dinner party by their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Nitkin, Esplanade Avenue, at which about twenty guests were present. Mrs. Schnapp was presented with a bone china cream and sugar set.

Miss Pauline Shapiro, 6560 Durocher Avenue, fiancee of Samuel Fried, 622 McEachran Avenue, and a bride-elect of January 23, was entertained at a luncheon presentation at the Mount Royal Hotel, by Mrs. H. Green, 121 Villeneuve Street West. Mrs. Green wore a black suit, with black beaded embroidery, and a green hat; and the honoree, who wore a green suit with a cocoa-brown hat, was presented with an ecru-shaded cutwork linen banquet cloth and napkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sher, Jeanne Mance Street, entertained at a luncheon and in celebration of the engagement of their only daughter, Rina, to Cecil, eldest son of Mr. [illegible]

[illegible] and Mrs. [illegible] black crepe dress, with an ornament on one of the pockets. Mrs. Lebofsky wore a brown crepe dress trimmed with embroidery, and Mrs. A. Sher, aunt of the bride, a brown crepe dress, with pearls.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Zwecker, de Bullion Street, entertained sixteen guests at a sweet table, and then a dinner party, in honor of the engagement of their daughter, Phyllis, to Thomas (Merman), son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Zemelman, Esplanade Avenue, whose marriage takes place on March 18. Mrs. Zwecker wore a black crepe dress, trimmed with silver beading, and a black hat; Mrs. Zemelman, a black crepe dress, with a black hat; and Miss Zwecker, a grey wool-crepe two-piece dress, embroidered with rhinestones, and a gray hat. The table was adorned with white and red carnations.

Morris Clapoff, son of Mrs. H. Clapoff, 890 Davaar Avenue, fiance of Miss Eileen Marcovitch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Marcovitch, Ducharme Avenue, who are to be married on January 8, at the Mount Royal Hotel, was entertained at a stag party presentation at Suffrin's, at which about one hundred guests were present. In charge of arrangements were: Isidore Myers, Maplewood Avenue; A. B. Kastner, Dollard Avenue; Joseph Leibovitch, Lansdowne Avenue; Hy. Leibovitch, Jeanne Mance Street; Nat. Nadel, Ponsard Avenue; and Alex Shtull, Willowdale Avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. I. A. Schlesinger, 59 St. Catherine Road, celebrated the sixteenth birthday of their daughter, Nina Mae, who is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Marcovitz, 286 Querbes Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. S. Schlesinger, 722b Querbes Avenue; and great-granddaughter of Mrs. Samuel Viner, 285 Querbes Avenue. There was a dinner and dancing party for forty-two of her friends, at which Nina Mae wore a green changeable taffeta ballerina-length dress, in off-the-shoulder style, with back fullness, and a corsage of Talisman roses and snapdragons. There were arrangements of roses, pom-poms, snapdragons, Tea roses and carnations throughout the house. The following evening, about thirty-two guests, members of the family, were present for a buffet supper party.

Leonie and Esther, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. I. Birnbaum, Durocher Avenue, celebrated their sixteenth birthday. They are the sisters of Stanley, and granddaughters of Mrs. J. Cutler, Durocher Avenue, and Mrs. S. Birnbaum, Park Avenue. Luncheon was served for twenty-five girls. Leonie and Esther were maroon dresses, trimmed with silver bands, and silver shoes to match, and corsages of yellow Tea roses and Lilies-of-the-valley, gifts from [illegible] mother, Samuel Kerman [illegible]

[illegible] with roses and carnations, [illegible] Ben. Soltan, sister of Mrs. I. Birnbaum; Una Kerman and Nayna Birnbaum, cousins; and Mrs. J. Cutler, grandmother of the twins, assisted in serving.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Jurbin, 806 Laurier Avenue West, entertained about forty guests at a dinner and dancing party in honor of the sixteenth birthday of their daughter, Edith. Mrs. Jurbin wore a black silk jersey dress, and Edith wore white tulle, made with a V-neckline, and draped shoulder-line, and full skirt, with a corsage of red roses. Her younger sister, Anne, who assisted, wore a white blouse, with a grey and red wool jumper. Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam. Shulman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Clapoff, brother-in-law and sister of Edith, and their daughter, Anita; Dr. Clara Sand and G. Sand, formerly of Italy, and now of Montreal; Mesdames Frances Listar, A. Bernstein, B. Aaronson, Sam. Titleman; Miss Rose Pap; and Moe Pellat, Rubin Shustack, Harry Mendelsohn, Harry Erdrich, Sam. Borovitch; and Morton Jurbin, Edith's brother; and her friends: Nina Lenger, Esther Scott, Rosally Miller, Roslyn Bouden, Mena Saxe, Sophie Sokolovska, Carmen Langer; and George Schovaler, Sol. Ettinger, Sasha Friedenstien, Norton Wolfe, Arnold Kanefsky, David Dunn, Wilbur Raich, B. Cohen, Nathan Phillips; and Stanley Shoffer and Bill Hill, who entertained. A centrepiece of roses, carnations, and variegated winter flowers; and a birthday cake adorned with pink, white and red roses, with a red inscription, adorned the table.

Those who entertained for Mrs. Max Rubenstein, formerly Miss Rose Goldberg, were: Mrs. Louis Goldberg, mother of the bride, Hutchison Street, at tea at the Queen's Hotel, Spanish Room, with one hundred guests present; Mrs. Mac Monk, 6028 Hutchison Street, and Mrs. Louis Kane, Park Avenue, at a luncheon at Ruby Foo's; Mesdames O. Burofsky, Notre Dame Street West; Sydney Levine, Notre Dame Street West; and Joseph Baker, Clinton Avenue, at a tea at Morgan's Regency Room; Mrs. Frank Schleifer, St. Catherine Road, at a tea; Miss Sylvia Davine, Bloomfield Avenue, and Mrs. Samuel Brumer, Van Horne Avenue, tea at Morgan's Regency Room; Mrs. M. Shallnaky, Hutchison Street, tea at Eaton's; Mrs. Mac Blumstein, Esplanade Avenue, Mrs. Mac Finiffter, Iona Avenue, and Mrs. Louis Hubscher, Glencairn Road, luncheon at the Lotus Gardens; Mrs. S. Meltzer, Darlington Avenue, tea; Mr. and Mrs. Nat. Cohen, St. Joseph Boulevard [illegible]

[illegible] Avenue, dinner at the Tic Toc Club; Mrs. Maurice Goldberg, sister-in-law of the bride, Isabella Avenue, and Mrs. Mac Monk, 5279 Hutchison Street, sister of the bride, shower, at the Bucharest, of sterling silver cutlery and china dinner set.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cohen, 4541 Hutchison Street, celebrated the bar-mitzvah of their younger son, Morris, who was called to the Reading of the Law during the summer. At a dinner at the Bucharest, receiving one hundred and sixty-five guests in honor of the occasion, Mrs. Cohen wore a grey satin dress which had a V-neckline, with silver-shaded and pink-beaded embroidery, a full skirt, and long sleeves, and her corsage was of white and pink roses. In the bar-mitzvah procession were: David Cohen, 4531 Hutchison Street, brother of Morris, with his cousin, Miss Molly Sommer, Hutchison Street, Mrs. David Cohen being unable to be present; and Mr. and Mrs. M. Babins, Clark Street, uncle and aunt; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Titleman, Van Horne Avenue; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown, Durocher Avenue; Mr. and Mrs. B. Kaffko, Park Avenue; Mr. and Mrs. H. Auerbach, Argyle Avenue; Mr. and Mrs. L. Sommer, Hutchison Street; Mr. and Mrs. J. Phillips, Maplewood Avenue; Mr. and Mrs. D. Rubin, Querbes Avenue; Mr. and Mrs. S. Ravinsky, Villeneuve Street West; and Mr. and Mrs. N. Auerbach, Jeanne Mance Street, all cousins; Mr. and Mrs. A. Perlman, St. Lake Street; and Mr. and Mrs. J. Cogan, Hutchison Street; and the parents and their bar-mitzvah son. Rabbi J. Colton spoke; and Morris made a speech in English. At dinner, the head table centrepiece was of pink and white roses, and pink and white candles; and a birthday cake in the shape of an open Bible, decorated with white, and trimmed with green.

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NOTICE is hereby given that DAME BLANCHE MARIE YVONNE BOISSONNEAU, housewife, of the City and District of Montreal, Province of Quebec, will apply to the Parliament of Canada, at the next or the next following ensuing session thereof, for a Bill of Divorce from her husband, WILLIAM PATTERSON DUNLOP, salesman, of the City of Westmount, District of Montreal, Province of Quebec, on the grounds of adultery.

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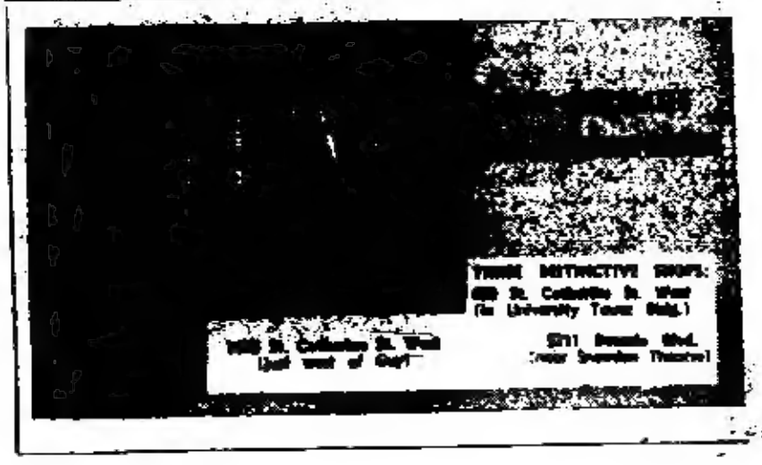

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BAR-MITZVAHS

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rosenblatt, [redacted] announce the Bar-Mitzvah of their son, Arnold, who will be called to the Reading of the Law on Saturday, December 25, at Adath Israel Synagogue. He is the brother of Lawrence Irwin, aged five; and grandson of [redacted]

[redacted] will receive at a dinner party at the synagogue on Sunday, December 26, at six o'clock, in honor of the occasion.

Ian Kushner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kushner, de Bullion Street, will be called to the Reading of the Law on Saturday, January 15, at nine o'clock, in Adath Yeshurun Hadrath Kodesh Synagogue. He is the brother of Esther, aged fourteen; and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Kushner, Esplanade Avenue.

BIRTHS

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. B. Schwartz (nee Eleanor Gould), St. Zotique Street East, a daughter, Ilona Arlene, at Herbert Reddy Memorial Hospital, on December 12; granddaughter of Mrs. F. Gould, St. Zotique Street East, and the late I. Gould; and of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schwartz, Davaar Avenue; great-granddaughter of Mrs. E. Gerlock, of Toronto, Ont.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lebovitz (nee Marjorie Auerbach), Soissons Avenue, a daughter, Kayla, sister of Martin and Stephen, at the Jewish General Hospital, on December 5. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. Auerbach, Argyle Avenue; and Mr. and Mrs. H. Lebovitz, Marlatte Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. David Indaig (nee Sarah Cogan), 7729 Querbes Avenue, a son, Stephen Earl, brother of Audrey, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, on December 2; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. Cogan, Clark Street; and of Mr. and Mrs. Z. Indaig, Laval Avenue. Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer Granofsky, Lajeunesse Street. Mr. Indaig, the grandfather, held the baby during the ceremony.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cohen (nee Ruth Barsuk), Duluth Street West, a son, Arnold, on November 2, at Herbert Reddy Memorial Hospital; grandson of Mrs. A. Barsuk, Esplanade Avenue; and of Mrs. L. Cohen, Duluth Street West. Godparents are Mrs. L. Cohen, grandmother; and Max Shapiro, Denormanville Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Moe Greenberg (nee Bella Wiseberg), 7745 Querbes Avenue, a daughter, Harriet Frances, on December 6, at the Jewish General Hospital; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Wiseberg, 4516 St. Urbain Street; and of Mrs. L. Greenberg, 5592 Esplanade Avenue, and the late H. Greenberg; great-granddaughter of Mrs. H. Wiseberg, 4245 City Hall Avenue; and of Mrs. E. Stenzler, 5150a Casgrain Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Garmaise (nee Pearl Brannstein), St. Joseph Boulevard West, a son, David, at the Jewish General Hospital, on December 5.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Nat. Gross (nee Sherna Richler), 4848 Isabella Avenue, a son, brother of Ian Gary, on Sunday, December 19, at the Jewish General Hospital; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Richler, Decelles Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gross, Willowdale Avenue; great-grandson of Mrs. Mollie Richler, Jeanne Mance Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Veinish (nee Toby Amsel), Kent Avenue, a son, Earl, brother of Francess Myra, at the Jewish General Hospital, on December 9; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. M. Amsel, Kent Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. L. Veinish, St. Catherine Road; great-grandson of Mrs. Y. Amsel, St. Lawrence Boulevard. Godparents are Mrs. L. Veinish, [redacted] ceremony.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Raich (nee Dorothy Asner), Maplewood Avenue, a daughter, Wendy, at the Jewish General Hospital, on December 9; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Asner, Argyle Avenue; and of Mrs. L. Raich, Draper Avenue, and the late L. Raich.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ben. B. Bell (nee Edythe Yussem), Jean Brillant Street, a son, Kenneth Howard, brother of Gerald Allan, at the Herbert Reddy Hospital, on December 9; grandson of Mrs. D. Yussem, St. Urbain Street, and the late H. Yussem; and of Mr. and Mrs. D. Belitsky, de l'Epee Avenue. Godparents are Mrs. Sydney Kaplin, de l'Epee Avenue; and Morris Belitsky, de Vimy Avenue. S. Ginsharman, Park Avenue, held the baby during the ceremony.

APPROACHING MARRIAGES

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Goldberg, Esplanade Avenue, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Rita, to Archie Wolfson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wolfson, Hutchison Street, which takes place on Sunday, January 2, at half-past five o'clock, at Beth David Synagogue.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. A. Silverman, Clark Street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lily, to Israel (Bookie), son of Mrs. A. Betnesky, St. Urbain Street, and the late J. Betnesky.

The engagement of Ruth, daughter of Mrs. Jacob Zbarsky, Linton Avenue, and the late Jacob Zbarsky, to Benjamin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Berenbaum, Wiseman Avenue, is announced, the wedding to take place on January 23, in the Cardy Hall, Mount Royal Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vital, Querbes Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth, to Jerry, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Goodman, Jeanne Mance Street.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Dergel, North Avenue, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Florence, to Nathan, youngest son of Mrs. Edith Rudakoff, St. Urbain Street, and the late Aaron Rudakoff.

The engagement of Rhoda, daughter of I. Gillman, Park Avenue, and the late Mrs. Gillman, to Lyonel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schwartz, 965 Davaar Avenue, is announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sher, Jeanne Mance Street, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Riva, to Cecil, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Labofsky, de l'Epee Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Goldberg, Esplanade Avenue, announce the [redacted] Rita, to Archie Wolfson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wolfson, Hutchison Street, and the late A. E. Cohen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bigman, of Quebec City, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Roslyn Lillian, to Murray Mendelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Shier Mendelson, of Toronto, Ont., the marriage to take place in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Wiseman, St. Urbain Street, announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Jean, to Max, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kirsch, Beaconsfield Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Herman, Durocher Avenue, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Frances, to Gerald, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Kaushansky, Waverley Street.

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DEATHS

Joseph Meitin, aged seventy-four, widower of the late Mrs. Peshah Meitin, died on December 15. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. S. Swirsky (Dora); Mrs. S. Freidman (Esther); one son, Harry, of San Fernando, Calif.; six grandchildren, Sylvia, Maynie, Florence and Elsie Swirsky, Pamela and Susan Freidman; and two brothers, Harry and Samuel Meitin. Funeral took place from Paperman's. Rabbi N. Aframovitch officiating. Burial was in Nusach Hari cemetery. Shiva was at the home of a daughter, Mrs. S. Swirsky, 4276 City Hall Avenue.

Harriet Frances, aged thirteen months, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey L. Weigensberg, Waverley Street, died on December 11. She was the sister of Alfred.

Funeral took place from Paperman's. Burial was in Jewish National Alliance cemetery.

David Blumer, formerly of Beauharnois, aged sixty-four, died at the Jewish General Hospital, on December 12. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Fanny Capilovitch Blumer; two sons, Jack and Seymer; three brothers, Isaac and Karl; and Simon Blumer, of Roumania; and two sisters, Mrs. M. Perl (Dora); and Rachel, of Roumania. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Rabbi S. H. Herschorn officiating. Burial was in Beth David cemetery. Shiva was at the home, 4814 Lacombe Avenue.

Abraham Tudiver, aged sixty-four, died suddenly at his home, 4854 Jeanne Mance Street. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Eva Braff Tudiver; three daughters, Misses Sally and Rose Tudiver, Mrs. [redacted] Neil and Fred Tudiver. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Rabbi S. H. Herschorn officiating. Shiva was at the home.

Mrs. Badana Garelik Greenberg, widow of the late Israel David Greenberg, aged sixty-eight, died at her home, 5086 Hutchison Street, on December 13. She is survived by three daughters, Misses Sarah and Esther Greenberg, Mrs. Arthur L. Stern (Lee); one son, Max; five grandchildren, Leonard, Haskell, Edward and Israel David Greenberg, and Bonnie Stern. Funeral took place from her home, Rabbi S. H. Herschorn officiating. Burial was in Young Israel cemetery. Shiva was at the home.

Isaac Korenberg, aged seventy-two, died on December 12. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Fanny Komerofsky Korenberg; three sons, Samuel, Louis, Harry; one daughter, Mrs. H. Litner (Rae); six grandchildren, Herbert Korenberg, Joyce Korenberg, Shirley, Muriel and Michael Allan Korenberg, and Mrs. Philip Goldberg, formerly Miss Pearl Litner. Funeral took place from his home, 627 Querbes Avenue, Dr. C. N. Denburg, Rabbi, officiating. Burial was in Poale Zedeck cemetery. Shiva was at the home.

Mrs. Bessie Balson Gornitsky, aged sixty-eight years, died suddenly on December 15. She is survived by her husband, Louis Gornitsky; three sons, Dr. Israel Gornitsky, Reuben Gornitsky; David Gornitsky, of Astoria, N.Y.; one daughter, Mrs. Louis Zelechow (Anna), of New York; and four grandchildren, Annette and Simon Zelechow, of New York; Mervyn M. and Gerald H. Gornitsky. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Rabbi S. H. Herschorn officiating. Burial was in Hebrew Sick Benefit Association cemetery. Shiva was at the home, 748 McEachran Avenue.

Morris H. Plotnick, aged [redacted] December 17, at his home, 5286 St. Urbain Street. He is survived by four sons, Jimmy (Max), Harry, Ben., Louis; three daughters, Mrs. David Peters (Bessie); Mrs. Jack Applebaum (Sarah); Mrs. Ben. Moscovitch (Sylvia); nine grandchildren; two brothers, Max and Meyer; and one sister, Mrs. Hanna Rabinovitch. Funeral took place from his home, Rabbi M. Wachtfogel officiating. Burial was in Tfereth Israel cemetery. Shiva at the home.

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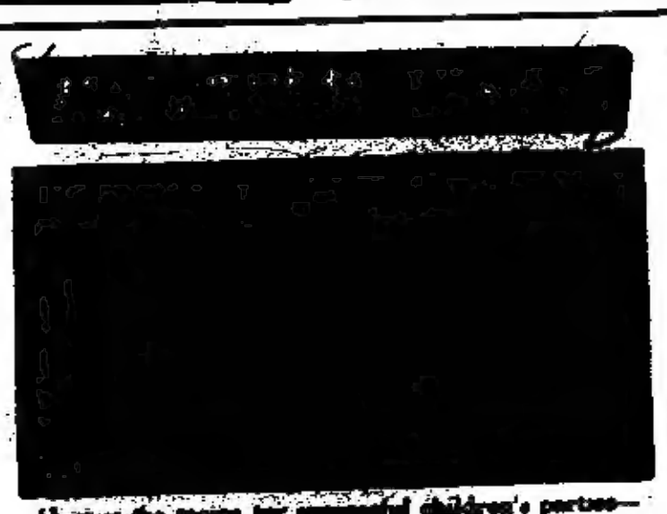

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BARMASH-GOODENDAY

The marriage of Miss Shirley Goodenday, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Goodenday, Esplanade Avenue, to Mortimer Barmash, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barmash, Park Avenue, took place at the home of Reverend H. Rothlatt, 4367 Esplanade Avenue, who officiated, on December 7, at seven o'clock. The bride was given in marriage by her parents. The bride wore a powder-blue silk ankle-length dress, with a Chinese neckline, cap sleeves, bodice made with lace inserts, and a flared skirt. She had a pink straw hat, with flowers and tulle veiling, and carried a Bible, covered with orchids and lilies-of-the-valley. Miss Marilyn Goodenday, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, in a maroon crepe dress, and carried a nosegay of pink carnations. Louis Barmash was best man, with Martin Stephen Barmash as page boy. The room was decorated with various autumn flowers. Mrs. Goodenday, mother of the bride, received in a mandarin-red crepe dress, with a black hat, and a corsage of red and white roses; with Mrs. Barmash, mother of the groom, in a black crepe dress, with a black hat, and a corsage of pink and white carnations. The bride and groom left on a honeymoon trip to the Laurentians, the bride travelling in a gray woollen suit, with maroon accessories. They will live at 6014 Esplanade Avenue.

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RAPPAPORT-PRICE

The marriage of Jenny (Janie), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Israel Price, Esplanade Avenue, to Samuel, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Rappaport, Casgrain Street, took place at Beth David Synagogue, on November 16, at eight o'clock, Rabbi I. Rose and Cantor I. Dlin, of Palestine officiating. The bride was given in marriage by her parents. She wore a white satin floor-length gown, with a high round neckline made of net and [illegible] fitting bodice and [illegible] ending in a long train. Her fingertip veil was held in place by a seed pearl bead tiara, and she carried a Bible, covered with white orchids, baby's breath, and streamers. Miss Sarah Price, sister of the bride, as maid of honour, wore a pale mauve net gown over a blue taffeta shirred bodice and full skirt, with a sequin sash. Her headdress was of pale mauve net with a tiara made of red roses, and she carried a hand bouquet of red roses. Misses Esther Rappaport, sister of the groom, and Cora Lillian Price, niece of the bride, as junior bridesmaids, wore slightly off-the-shoulder blue and pink gowns, with contrasting frills at the neckline and at the hemline. Their headdresses were coronet-shaped, made of pink carnations, and they carried nosegays of pink carnations and pom-poms. Sandra Barbara Price, niece of the bride, and Roslyn Sailer, as flower girls, wore identical floor-length dresses in peach and green taffeta, with contrasting peach and green bows at the hemline. Their headdresses were coronet-shaped, of pink carnations, and they carried nosegays of pom-poms and pink carnations. Ben. Rappaport, brother of the groom, was best man. The ushers were: Hyman Price, brother of the bride; Harry Rappaport, brother of the groom; Hyman Rappaport, uncle of the groom; Joseph Titleman, Morty Hopkins, cousins of the groom; Abe Baserman, and David Stendel. Sheldon George Price, nephew of the bride, was page boy, in full dress. Candelabra entwined with bouquets of flowers, ferns, and seasonal flowers were used as decorations. A choir sang and "Because" was sung. A prayer was sung by one of the choir boys, Mrs. Price, mother of the bride, received in a Burgundy-wine-colored gown, with matching hat and accessories, a bib of pearl beads, and a corsage of Tea roses; with Mrs. Rappaport, mother of the groom, in a royal-blue floor-length gown with rhinestone jewellery, a royal-blue hat, with pink feathers and a corsage of deep pink carnations. The bride and groom left for New York on their honeymoon, the former travelling in a navy-blue woollen gabardine suit, with a fur coat, navy-blue hat and accessories, and a corsage of white gardenias. They will live at 3570 Durocher Avenue. Noah Frenkel and son, Nathan, and daughter, Helene, all of Forest Hills, Long Island, N. Y., uncle, and cousins of the bride, were present.

Mrs. A. Feldman, 644 St. Germain Street, Montreal, is social chairman of the Council of Units of the Jewish Hospital of Hope, in charge of the Chanukah festival, to be held on the evening of December 26, at Adath Israel Congregation. Other members of the committee are: Mesdames S. Cohen, J. Isaac, and H. P. Stark, assisted by the following convenors, Mesdames H. Oberfield, H. Bercovitch, and D. Jacobitsky.
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HART-FREEDMAN

The marriage of Mimi, daughter of Mrs. Albert Freedman, Cavendish Boulevard, to William B. Hart, of Long Island, N.Y., son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude B. Hart, formerly of Montreal, took place on Tuesday, December 14, at three o'clock, at the home of Philip B. Hart, Grey Avenue, uncle of the bride and of the groom. Dr. Solomon Frank, Rabbi, officiated. The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Annette Holder, as matron of honor; and Harry Shapiro was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Claude B. Hart, parents of the groom; and Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Russell, of Kingston, Ont., brother-in-law and sister of the bride, were present. The bride [illegible] at Long Island, N.Y.

Warns Faiths Must Be Sincere

Dr. Robert Gordis, Rabbi of Temple Beth El, Rockaway Park, Queens, New York, was installed as president of the Synagogue Council of America in ceremonies at the Spanish and Portguese Synagogue, Central Park West and Seventieth Street. Dr. Gordis succeeded Rabbi William F. Rosenblum as president of the council. The ceremonies also marked the twentieth anniversary of the establishment of the Council, which consists of rabbinical and lay organizations of the Orthodox, Conservative and Reform Jews in America.

In accepting his post Rabbi Gordis said that Jews are bound together not by political, military or geographical forces but by a common religio-ethical culture.

Rabbi Rosenblum warned that all religions will lose prestige and popularity "unless the major religious bodies of the world can establish a fellowship of faiths which the man in the street can regard as sincere and secure."

"Differences lend zest and color to life," Rabbi Rosenblum continued, "but the moment they are developed to the point of bigotry or isolationism they become spiritual poisons for which there are few antidotes."

Justice Meier Steinbrink of the New York Supreme Court who participated in the ceremonies, asserted that American Jews must rally their forces not only in defense of Judaism but of Americanism and of civilization itself.

"The worst of all errors," Justice Steinbrink said, "is to believe that any one religion has the monopoly of goodness for every man. That religion is good which makes him gentle, upright, and kind."

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A Sixteenth-Century Jewish Statesman

By Dr. Leon Liebreich, Gratz College, Philadelphia, Pa.

Anti-Semitism, displaced persons, immigration restrictions, refugees, Cyprus, Palestine! What a familiar ring these words have! They seem to be drawn from the daily newspaper. Will it surprise anybody to learn that in Jewish history they are rather ancient terms? If they recur today, they are merely a stern reminder of the persistence of the Jewish problem and of the imperative need of efforts to arrive at a solution.

That the same aspects of the Jewish problem existed and the same types of solution were proposed four hundred years ago, may be learned from a reading of Dr. Cecil Roth's new volume of biography, The House Of Nasi, The Duke Of Naxos, which has just been published by The Jewish Publication Society of America, and which is a sequel to the same author's The House Of Nasi, Dona Gracia, likewise published under the auspices of The Society a few months ago.

The reader is introduced to a most interesting account of the life of Joseph Nasi, one of the most influential Jews of sixteenth-century Europe. Two generations had elapsed since the expulsion of the Jews from Spain. Its effect, however, was still being felt in the dislocation of Jews and their desperate search for new homes. Unlike the victims of Hitler's racial anti-Semitism, the sixteenth century D.P.'s were not only territorially, but also spiritually displaced persons. Our hero, Joseph Nasi, was one of these, for he had been a New Christian, or Marrano, before embracing Judaism.

The doors to the various lands of Europe were tightly shut to Jewish refugee immigrants. The one exception was Turkey. After wandering from one country to another, Joseph Nasi at last lays down the [illegible] pursuit in the most important [illegible] repose capitals. His "underground" connections enable him to put a most efficient "intelligence service" at the disposal of the Turkish government. He also has recourse to other means of ingratiating himself with the Sultan. Thus he proves himself a most valuable asset to the state, for which he is duly rewarded in time. The reward? The Duchy of Naxos!

Despite his impressive rise to power and influence, Joseph Nasi is not unaware of the basic precariousness of his position. The precious honors and prize he has won must be constantly guarded. He must be ever on the alert. The Sultan's court teems with intrigue. Nasi's success and prominence stir up jealousy of, and hatred for, the Jew. Intense anti-Jewish feeling lurks beneath the superficial and questionable compliments of supposed friends. He is the Duke of Naxos, but duke in absentia. A trusted friend is the lieutenant-governor of the duchy. Nasi himself dares not allow distance to separate him from the presence of the Sultan for fear of falling from grace. Only in nearness to the ruling power is there comparative safety for him.

Joseph Nasi and his illustrious aunt, Dona Gracia, evince keen interest in their fellow-Jews. The Duchy of Naxos is unsuitable as a haven of refuge for their harassed co-religionists. But other prospects appear on the political horizon. The Kingship of Cyprus for Joseph Nasi looms as a fair possibility. Yet he is doomed to bitter disappointment. His hope of becoming King of Cyprus and of establishing there large-scale Jewish colonization was not to be realized. In envisaging, however dimly, in Cyprus a possible solution to the Jewish problem, Nasi was the forerunner of the Uganda proposal in modern times.

Palestine as the supreme answer to Israel's woes also figures prominently in the biography of Joseph Nasi. Though once again his aunt pointed the way, Nasi, nevertheless, displays originality in his approach to Palestine as the ultimate solution of the Jewish problem. A Jewish settlement in Palestine had been one of Dona Gracia's favorite [illegible] the study of the Torah, undisturbed by economic considerations.

Joseph Nasi, on the other hand, with an almost uncanny farsightedness bordering on prophetic insight, beheld, beyond the all im-

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Molly Picon Is Back

Most young actresses in search of a career make a beeline for Broadway, despite that avenue's reputation for breaking youthful hearts. But Molly Picon, who made the grade and became a star, did so by staying away from Broadway. In New York's Yiddish theater, on the lower East Side, she built up such a reputation as an actress, singer and comedienne that finally Broadway came to her.

Like many another well known star, Miss Picon began her stage life in vaudeville. She might have continued if it had not been for a chance interview which changed her whole life, both professionally and personally. She met a young man, Jacob Kalich, who was the manager of a successful theater in Boston. Kalich appraised her talents, fell in love and married her, and persuaded her to fit herself for playing before Yiddish audiences. American-born Miss Picon hardly knew Yiddish, but went to Europe to learn it. Then she came back to the United States to play for her own people in their language.

The Yiddish theater is one of the most interesting folk theaters in America. Drama lovers, who brought with them from their native Germany, Austria, Poland or Russia an intense appreciation of the theater, gave Jewish-American communities a drama all their own. The Yiddish theater audience, it is said, is like a big family. All the family goes to the theaters. The theater is a part of the social life of a Jewish community. When the audience loves a star, they express their approval whole-heartedly. And so Miss Picon, after endearing herself to them in a series of human musical comedies written for her by her husband, Jacob Kalich, became and remains "The Idol of the Yiddish Stage," "The Little Queen of Second Avenue."

Uptown on Broadway, critics heard of Miss Picon, her amazing comedy sense, and her uncanny gift for mimicry, says the New York Herald Tribune. They traveled down to Second Avenue, wrote newspaper articles about her and so, without leaving her own community, Molly Picon became a celebrity. Broadway came seeking her. Europe called, too, and before the war she had played with success in Paris, Vienna and London.

Miss Picon last appeared on Broadway in "Morning Star" described as a cavalcade of Jewish life in America from 1910 to 1931. She [illegible] playing in the English-speaking theater and is happy in

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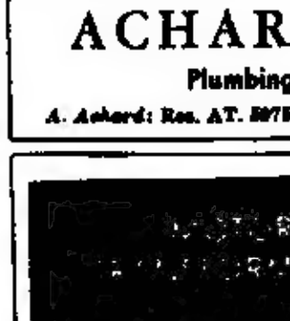

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The marriage of Beatrice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bookspan, 930 Bloor Street West, to Julius Freedman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Freedman, 6 Beatrice Street, took place on November 4, at six o'clock, at Bais Yehuda Synagogue. Rabbi A. Kelman officiated, assisted by Cantor David Green. The bride was given in marriage by her parents. Her white brocaded satin gown was fashioned with a round neckline, tight bodice, bustle-back, and full skirt. Her white brocaded satin mantilla headdress was draped with a long veil, and she carried a white prayer book, covered with white ribbon streamers. Mrs. Samuel Wagman, sister of the bride, was matron of honour, gowned in pink brocaded satin, with off-the-shoulder neckline, and bustle skirt, with matching gloves. She had a matching mantilla headdress and short pink veil, and carried a cascade of pink roses. The bridesmaids were: Misses Eva Baltman, Belle Menkes, and Mrs. M. Kirsh, sister of the groom. All were pale blue brocaded satin gowns, fashioned with off-the-shoulder necklines, bustle-back, and had matching gloves. Their headdresses were matching mantillas with short powder-blue veils, and they carried cascades of American Beauty roses. Marilyn Goldberg was flower girl, dressed in pink taffeta, with a matching bonnet, and carried a basket of pink rose petals. Max Kirsh, brother-in-law of the groom, was best man and ushers were: Samuel Wagman, Leo Grad, and Maurice Fagan. Jaffrey Simon, cousin of the bride, of Cleveland, Ohio, was ring-bearer, in full dress. The reception took place at Club Top Hat which was decorated with white and yellow chrysanthemums, ferns and candelabra. Mrs. Bookspan received in a powder-blue faille gown, with a corsage of American Beauty roses; Mrs. Freedman, mother of the groom, wearing a gray faille gown, with a corsage of pink roses. The bride and groom left for a wedding trip to New York, the former wearing an American Beauty-coloured suit, with a white blouse, black accessories, and a corsage of white orchids. The bride and groom will reside at 255 Montrose Avenue. Out-of-town guests for the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Perry, brother-in-law and sister of the bride, of Erie, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. A. Oskowski, uncle and aunt of the bride; Mrs. J. Fine, and Mrs. R. Simon and family, cousins of the bride, of Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. L. Kirshenblatt, of Wingham; Mr. and Mrs. S. Lewis, of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. H. Atrubin, cousins of the bride, of Kitchener; and Mr. and Mrs. D. Bookspan, cousins of the bride, of Bowmanville.

Sam Godfrey, 17 Old Park Road, Toronto, was elected president of Goel Tzedec Congregation. Other officers are: Charles Foster, E. Pullan, L. H. Penkins, Judge Samuel Factor, chairman of board of governors; Harry Pullan, Max Cooper. Board of governors: Louis Berger; B. Cadesky, L. Gaiber, A. Glassberg, J. B. Goldhar, B. Hillman, M. L. Keyfetz, W. Lefkot, I. Markus, J. I. Rotbenan, N. M. Hvatch, M. Rotenberg, S. V. Roth, Alex Sossin, H. I. Shapiro, F. A. Silverman, Dr. M. L. Stone, and I. D. Wisman. Dr. M. L. Perlzweig is senior rabbi; Rabbi E. F. Elaburn, educational director.

Eckler, 111a Fendrith Street, took place on November 7, at half-past five o'clock, at Yeshiva Torah Chaim, Rabbi A. Price officiating, assisted by Rev. Boris Charloff. The bride was given in marriage by her parents. Her white brocaded satin gown was made with an off-the-shoulder neckline, long sleeves, narrowing to the wrists, and fitted bodice, with a full skirt, padded hips, and bustle. Her Dutch cap was arranged with a finger-tip veil, and she carried a white Bible, covered with a white orchid and white roses, trimmed with white streamers. Miss Rae Shafer was maid of honour. In primrose-yellow taffeta, fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, tight bodice, with padded hips and a full skirt, she had a large turquoise-blue plume in her hair, and carried a bouquet of Talisman and pink roses, trimmed with a turquoise-blue ribbon. Irene Richman was junior bridesmaid, dressed in pale green taffeta, fashioned similarly to the gown of the maid of honour, with a matching green cloche, trimmed with yellow feathers, and carried a nosegay of Talisman and pink roses, trimmed with yellow ribbon. Eleanor Richmond and Sharon Richmond, cousins of the bride, were flower girls, dressed in orchid-coloured taffeta, fashioned with an off-the-shoulder neckline, and hooped skirt, trimmed with dark orchid-coloured velvet. Their matching headdresses were tied with ribbon under their chins and they carried baskets of pink and rose-coloured rose petals. Gordon Berman was best man, and the ushers were: Harry Weiner, Harshel Shore, Harry Brinder, Howard Kline, Samuel Davis, Harold Mosoff, Melvin Goldberg, Saul Mintz, and Brian Eckler. The reception took place in the synagogue. Mrs. Richman, mother of the bride, in a blue metallic gown, with a train, and a corsage of yellow orchids and navy-blue accessories, received with Mrs. Eckler, mother of the groom, in gray crepe gown, trimmed with silver and black beading, a corsage of purple orchids, and gray accessories. The bride and groom left for a wedding trip to New York, the former wearing a midnight-blue gabardine suit and hat, with navy accessories, and a gray Persian lamb coat. The bride and groom will reside at 2426 Danforth Avenue. Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Snitman, Gordon Berman, Mrs. G. Black, Mr. and Mrs. D. Black, Mr. and Mrs. F. Berman and family, and Mr. and Mrs. F. Oppenheim, all of Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Jacobs and family, of Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. S. Sussler, of Montreal, Que.; Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]

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Borough President John Cashmore, honorary chairman of the campaign for funds to build the plasma laboratory, told a crowd of 1,000 at the ceremony that the proposed building will be the only plasma station in the entire Middle East and will serve Israel in peace as well as in war. The laboratory will cost $250,000 to build, and the land already has been purchased.

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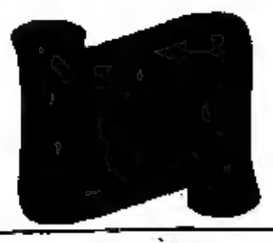

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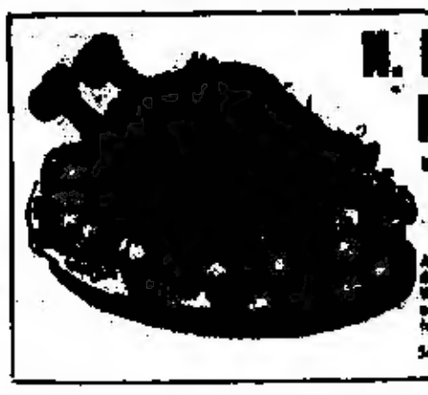

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Most appropriately Dr. Roth has dedicated the biography of Joseph Nasi to Chaim Weizmann, first president of the new State of Israel. The book is written in the same masterly style, to which the author's previous works have accustomed us. If further proof were needed that history, as Macaulay has said, is philosophy teaching by example, the present work furnished it most amply. The writing of history with Dr. Roth ceases to be a "dry as dust" affair, and becomes full of human interest and appeal.

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Pre-heat oven to about 325 degrees. Stir until smooth, and then cool, one-quarter cup boiling water and one-quarter cup cocoa. Then measure, with level measurements, and sift together into bowl: one cup cake flour, one cup white sugar, one and one-half teaspoons double-action baking powder, and one-half teaspoon salt. Make a well in flour mixture, and add in order: one quarter cup cooking oil, three unbeaten egg-yolks, the cooled cocoa mixture, and one-half teaspoon vanilla. Beat with mixing spoon until smooth, for about two minutes. Measure into a large mixing bowl, the three egg-whites, and one-quarter teaspoon cream of tartar. Whip until whites are in very stiff peaks. It is important that they are not under-beaten. Then pour egg-yolk mixture over the whites, folding the whites in with a rubber scraper, just until blended. This cannot be stirred. Pour immediately into an ungreased sponge-cake tin, and bake for forty or forty-five minutes, or until top springs back when lightly touched, in oven not higher than 350 degrees. Reverse cake in tin, on a cake-rack, and let stand until cool, and then remove tin.

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Beat together with rotary beater, for about five minutes: one cup icing sugar, one small egg, one-quarter cup milk, three squares melted bitter chocolate, and one teaspoon soft shortening, and one-half teaspoon vanilla.

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Parents Get Medals Of Famous Son

The parents of the late M/Sgt. Meyer Levin, the Brooklyn hero who flew with Capt. Colin Kelly in the Pacific fighting, received sight of their son's posthumous medals from Maj. Gen. Robert M. Webster at First Air Force Headquarters, Fort Slocum.

The awards were received by Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Levin, 1504 East Thirty-third Street, Brooklyn, N.Y., who declared they were "proud to give our son in service to the United States." Also present at the ceremonies was Col. Gordon H. Austin, operations officer, who was a lieutenant in Sergeant Levin's squadron at Hickham Field early in the war.

The decorations, previously authorized but for which the medals had not yet been awarded, consisted of the second Oak Leaf Cluster to the Silver Star Medal, Distinguished Unit Emblem with six Oak Leaf Clusters, American Defense Service Medal with one bronze star, American Campaign Medal, Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal with six battle stars, Philippine Defense Ribbon, World War II Victory Medal and Good Conduct Medal.

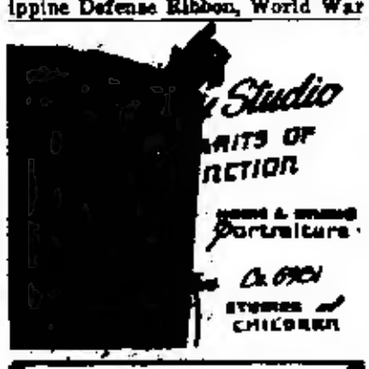
Sergeant Levin received the [illegible] killed. He was killed off New Britain, however, in January, 1943, when he went to the rear of the plane to free life rafts and drowned when the plane sank. It was for this action that he received the second cluster in lieu of a third Silver Star for gallantry.

College Youth Fights Bias

Fifty young college men and women between the ages of 17 and 23 participated in a six-day conference recently under the joint sponsorship of the National Conference of Christians and Jews and the American Jewish Committee. The young delegates, chosen for leadership qualities displayed as members of Protestant, Jewish, Catholic and Negro organizations, represented some 15 colleges in the New York area.

The conference was held for the purpose of developing among young people of all faiths and several racial backgrounds a better understanding of one another and the problems facing them today as individuals and as members of their respective groups. The conference was planned to consider not merely the bases of prejudice and discrimination, but primarily how to combat these manifestations of bigotry. The general theme of the six-day deliberations was "Action Toward Better Human Relations."

Group analyses and round-table discussions on topics of importance to all young people, as well as folk dancing, swimming and other forms of recreation, were among the activities of the conference, held at the Minden estate in Bridgehampton, L.I. Christian Westphalen, New York regional director of the NCCJ, and Samuel Fishzohn, AJC youth division head, were co-directors.



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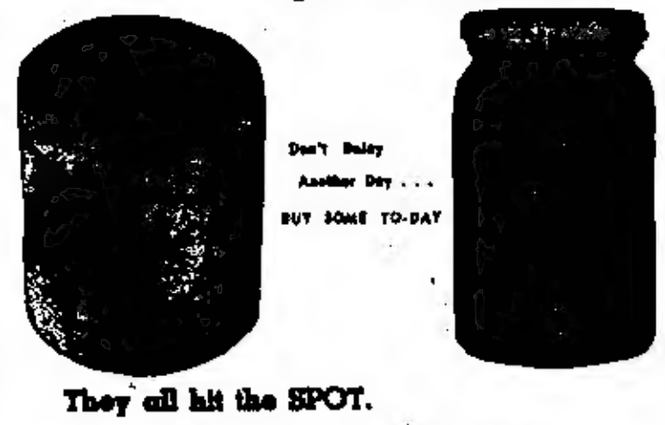

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• MONTREAL MEETINGS •

● For the wedding picture of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Akman, 3415 Jeanne Mance Street, Montreal, which appeared on page forty-two of the Chanukah issue of the Canadian Jewish Review, the caption should have read: Mrs. Charles Akman, 3415 Jeanne Mance Street, Montreal, was Miss Sarah Sokolov, daughter of S. Sokolov, 3544 City Hall Avenue, and the late Mrs. Sokolov. Mr. Akman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Akman, 4236 de Bullion Street.

● SHAAR HASHOMAYIM Synagogue, Rabbi Wilfred Shuchat: Annual youth service of the Junior Congregation was conducted by: Stephen Bernstein, Martin Goodman, David Cohen, Charles Solomon, Mark Shapiro, Harold Shapiro, Ronald Cape, Allan Bernfeld, Barry Weisenfeld, Morton Leibovitch, Jack Shalinsky, Gerald Gilserman, Leslie Halpert, Esther Cowan. Book review of the Women's Institute was of "A Treasury Of Jewish Folklore", by Donald B. Hurwitz, executive director of the Federation of Jewish Philanthropies and of the Baron de Hirsch Institute. For the Tombola of the Women's Auxiliary, joint chairmanship of Mrs. Charles Rothman and Mrs. Ralph Zabitsky, prizes will be awarded to winners of the drawing on February 9. Booklets of tickets are being distributed under the supervision of Mesdames S. S. Lerner, Mrs. Harold Segall, advisors; J. Segall, S. Held. Chanukah service, Wednesday, December 29, at 6.15 p.m.; at 7.15 p.m., dinner; then the annual meeting. At going-up and investitures ceremonies, the Westmount District Commissioner, Mrs. T. R. Durley, enrolled the Brownie Recruits: Miriam Cooper, Jane Greenberg, Judith Klineberg, Deborah Lafeort, Beverley Levitt, Renee Rothman, Elaine Scott; and awarded the Golden Bar to: Iris Cohen, Sandra Cummings, Frances Fogle, Doreen Gordon, Judith Klineberg, Rhoda Margolick, Maxine Strean. Mrs. J. P. Robb, Westmount District Captain, presented two year and one year service stars to: Iris Cohen, Frances Fogle, Iris Auerbach, Sandra Cummings, Doreen Gordon, Judith Klineberg, Rhoda Margolick, Maxine Strean, Carol Weininger. Tenderfoot pins were presented to the following Guide Recruits: Sheila Halpert, Frances Pevzner, Anne Ruth Hart, Nancy Shapiro, Charlotte Toker, Mary Unterberg. One year service stars were awarded to Guides Nancy Bacal, Joan Fansberia, Judith Manovitz. Mrs. D. M. Notkin, president of the Parent-Teachers' Association, greeted the gathering. Rectory Guide Captain is Miss [illegible]

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● Paintings by L. Muhlstock, J. Nichols, and Gitta Caiserman have been selected by the Federation of Canadian Artists for a special exhibition which will tour the country. Selection was on a regional basis and is intended to be representative of the various trends in Canadian painting.

● CANADIAN ASSOCIATION of Hebrew Schools (IGUD), with Karen Hatarbuth, organized a matinee performance in the United Talmud Torahs Assembly Hall, for students of Hebrew day schools, by the Palestinian artists, Shoshanah Damari, Joseph Goland, and Moshe Wilensky, who were introduced by S. Lerner, executive director. Five hundred children attended from United Talmud Torahs, Herzeliu Hebrew High School, Adath Israel Day School, Jewish People's School, Merkaz Hatorah.

● SONS OF ZION, a youth group, ages from thirteen to fifteen, raised $780, to be donated to Jewish National Fund, at three showings of the movie, "My Father's House," at Adath Israel Synagogue, with four hundred people at each showing, two of which were for children. Leon Mintzberg and Irwin Light were chairmen. Lionel Wise assisted on the committee. Other members are: Armand Cymbalista, Ralph Fine, Martin Friedman, Larry Genender, Bernard Gilick, Mort. Gross, Jerry Naimer, Leonard Ostreff, Bernard Pollack, Kenneth Saxe, Sidney Sederoff, Gerald Sinclair, Thomas Zemel, Seymour Freedman, Joseph Sobel, Ronald Belkin, Gerry Newman, Walter Fogel, Gerry Gilbert, Irving Rosen, Norman Namerow.

Shimon Hacohen arrived from Palestine as the representative of the Karen Hayesod to participate in the fund-raising and educational work of the United Israel Appeal for 1949 in Canada. Mr. Hacohen has lived in Palestine for the past forty years, having gone there as a boy. He served in the war with the British forces, and was received by the King and Queen at Buckingham Palace as one of the war heroes.

● PIONEER WOMEN: Goldye Myerson Group concert on Tuesday evening, January 11, at Plateau Hall, will present Michael Rabin, of New York, twelve-year-old violinist, in recital. Mrs. L. Tinkoff, 5117 Lacombe Avenue, AT. 3529; and Mrs. Sam. Hershon, 1126 Lajoie Avenue, are co-conveners. Mrs. Sol. Guttman is Group chairman. Mrs. M. Dickstein is project convener. Proceeds for Ominah, children's nursery in Haifa. Michael Rabin played in concert last year in the Y.M.H.A., and played in concert with the Rhode Island Philharmonic Orchestra. Gordonia Group tea and card party at Beth David Synagogue raised $300.00. Mesdames J. Amber, B. Williams, N. Teitelbaum, Z. Waxman assisted. Ch[illegible] home of Mrs. [illegible] Avenue, heard Dr. G. [illegible], Rabbi, as speaker. Negev Group tea, at Bnai Jacob Synagogue, raised $250. Guest speaker was Mrs. H. M. Caiserman. Goldye Myerson Group will hear a Hebrew lecture by Mrs. P. Lipshitz, on December 28, at the home of Mrs. S. Hershon, 1126 Lajoie Avenue.

● PYTHIAN SISTERS: Calanthe Temple Chanukah party at the Old People's Home, is on Tuesday evening, December 28, for residents there. Mrs. I. Yochalas is in charge; Mrs. M. Feldman, in charge of refreshments. Each woman will receive a hand-made apron, and each man a tie from the members. Yiddish entertainment.

● NORTH END VILKOMIRER Ladies' Auxiliary: Mrs. M. Turner, 5625 Park Avenue, was hostess at a board meeting, Mrs. N. Ghilsig, chairman. Present were: Mesdames M. Kirsch, J. Flax, E. Goldstein, I. Signer, N. Welt, A. Grill, H. Ostroff, D. Lazarovitch, H. Lesser, I. Weinstein, D. Tesher, J. Kirshenberg, L. Shagass, S. Levine, M. Firestone, M. Shagass, B. Yarachevsky, J. Block, P. Buckner, J. Goretsky, M. Morris, L. Shufman. Mrs. Turner donated a raffle which was won by Mrs. E. Goldstein. Mrs. J. Flax bought a cake which was auctioned. Mrs. Kirsch thanked the hostess. Mrs. S. Shabinsky, Mrs. A. C. Cwinn, Misses Pearl and Ruth Turner assisted in serving.

● BNAI BRITH WOMEN Montreal Chapter Number 267: Child Study Group meets at the home of Mrs. H. Goldhamer, 2621 Soissons Avenue, on Monday, December 27, at 8.30 p.m. Friends invited. Speaker as yet unannounced. Tenth anniversary cabaret dinner dance on Sunday, February 13, at 7 p.m., at Normandie Roof and Ballroom of the Mount Royal Hotel, has as conveners, Mesdames H. Cohen, N. Silver. Mrs. M. Brownstein, AT. 0737; and Mrs. J. Solomon, EX. 2458, are in charge of reservations. Additional subscribers are: Mr. and Mrs. B. Salit, Mr. and Mrs. M. Klugerman, Mr. and Mrs. W. Salit, Mr. and Mrs. J. Landa, Mr. and Mrs. I. Saltzman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Marchand, Mr. and Mrs. I. Bloom, Mr. and Mrs. B. Bierbrier, Mr. and Mrs. I. Anchel, Mr. and Mrs. R. Gold, Mr. and Mrs. J. Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. C. Rabitsky, Mr. and Mrs. William Goldberg, Mr. and Mrs. J. Freedman, Mr. and Mrs. D. Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. M. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. C. Gillett, Mr. and Mrs. M. Quint, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hyman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. M. Sarasevitch, Mr. and Mrs. M. Weinstein, Mr. and Mrs. M. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sailer, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wajsnier, Mr. and Mrs. H. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. N. Silver, Mr. and Mrs. J. Goodis, Mr. and Mrs. I. Golden, Mr. and Mrs. E. Abrams, Mr. and Mrs. D. Greenspoon, Mr. and Mrs. M. Goldman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. A. Ostroff, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rosenbaum, Mr. and Mrs. E. Issenman, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stern, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wax, Mr. and Mrs. L. Daskin, Mr. and Mrs. I. Eklove, Mr. and Mrs. J. Polger, Mr. and Mrs. A. Genser, Mr. and Mrs. S. Black, Mr. and Mrs. J. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. B. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. S. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. I. Bock, Mr. and Mrs. G. Klein, and Mrs. P. Wise. Mr. and Mrs. M. Belitsky. Bnai Brith Cum Laude Chapter Number 648, professional and business women's group, plan a Chanukah meeting for Tuesday, December 28, at 8.30 p.m., at the Mount Royal Hotel. Miss Beatrice Norman will speak. Miss Ida Wasserman will preside.

● Mrs. Harvey Freedman, 1025 Graham Boulevard, formerly Miss Helen Iris Fineberg, was entertained at a dinner at the LaSalle Hotel by the Cum Laude Chapter of Bnai Brith Women, of which she is president.

● In honor of Mr. and Mrs. Moe Schnapp, and sons, Herbert and David, 5026 Park Avenue, who will leave shortly to take up residence in California, Balfour Lodge, Knights of Pythias, entertained at a stag party for Mr. Schnapp, at Suffrin's. Gus Lang is president. Mr. Schnapp, who has held office in the lodge, was presented with a wrist-watch.

● BETH MOISHE SYNAGOGUE Sisterhood meeting is on Wednesday, December 29, at the home of Mrs. F. Einbinder, 1065 Van Horne Avenue; friends invited. Mrs. H. Harman will preside.

● BRIGADIER FREDERIC Kisch, Ladies' Auxiliary, Number 97, are giving a Chanukah party on Wednesday, December 29, at 8 p.m., for the veterans at Queen Mary Veterans Hospital. Gifts will be distributed by Mrs. A. Soloman, president; Mesdames E. Hartman, J. Greenberg, J. Horowitz.

● L.A.C. FRANK SCHWARTZ Memorial Club met at the home of Mrs. R. Dankner, 5265 Byron Avenue, at which it was decided to pack sixty comforts boxes for veterans at Ste. Anne de Bellevue Veterans' Hospital, and sixty for those at Queen Mary Veterans' Hospital. At a party given by Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Cohen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. [illegible], de Bullion Street, an appeal by S. Farber raised $70 to be given to Histadruth in the name of the club.

● MOUNT SINAI SANATORIUM Junior Auxiliary: Project of an afternoon of movies, with cartoons, sing-song, and a feature, "Lassie", takes place at Adath Israel Synagogue Hall, on Sunday, January 2, at 2 p.m., instead of the morning theatre performance originally scheduled for that day. For information call the project convener, Miss Alice Spector, 182 St. Joseph Boulevard West, CR. 2988; or the advisors, Mrs. M. Wener, CR. 4376; Mrs. S. Rabinovitch, AT. 3034.

● TEMPLE EMANU-EL, Dr. Harry J. Stern, Rabbi: Services, Friday, December 24, at 8.15. Sermon: "Chanukah And Christmas." Under direction of Miss Frances Katz, the Chanukah entertainment included "The Chanukah In Israel." A skit was presented in Hebrew, direction of Mrs. Abraham Wolk. Jack Carrick, chairman of the School Board, spoke. Under the direction of Yehuda Vineberg, the school choir sang. Mrs. Jack Freedman, president of the Sisterhood, presented gifts to all the pupils and teachers. Friday, December 31, will be Family Sabbath. Chanukah music from Handel's Oratorio, Judas Maccabeus, will be given by Cantor Stearns and choir, direction of Phillips Motley, organist and choir-master. A pageant of light will form part of the program. Oneg Shabbat will have Mrs. Eugene Stearns and Mrs. J. N. Neumann in charge of the reception. Sisterhood donor luncheon, on Tuesday, January 11, will present Dr. Rose Fraenblau, psychologist and news columnist, as guest speaker. Conveners: Mesdames W. N. Carin, Alfred Miller, Jack Freedman, H. Wulfe, A. Sankoff, M. Singer, C. H. Goldstein, R. Burko, B. Yatas, J. Weiner, M. Wegler, L. Sherwin, J. Carrick.

● CANADIAN JEWISH CONGRESS has taken up with the Department of External Affairs of the Federal Government the suspension by the IRO (United Nations-sponsored International Refugee Organization) of the movement of refugees to Israel. At a [illegible] the burden of maintaining DP's, sponsors and pays for the migration of such DP's to various countries, especially when such DP's or their relatives have no financial resources. Thus the IRO has paid the travel costs of many displaced persons who have come to Canada. However, since the establishment of the State of Israel, the IRO has suspended the sponsorship of refugees going to Israel on the ground that the Israeli authorities could not guarantee the security of these DP's. In order that this decision may not delay the departure of these DP's, the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, with which the Congress is closely associated, has been paying the costs of this transportation which amounts to $1,500,000 per month. In order to obtain funds for this emergency the JDC has had to borrow heavily. In its representations to the Canadian Department of External Affairs, the Congress pointed to the obligations which the IRO has assumed in its constitution to the transportation costs of displaced persons. The Congress asked that the Canadian representatives on the executive committee of the IRO insist that the organization carry out its mandate and pay for the transportation of all who are legally going to Israel. Dr. Simchah Petrushka, student in rabbinics, has been appointed research consultant on archives and library by the Congress. Dr. Petrushka has published a translation of the Mishnah into the Yiddish, with a running commentary. The six-volume work of which the last volume has just appeared, has won for him the Lamed Prize. Dr. Petrushka expects that his further research will take him to the Hebrew University

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FEDERATED COUNCIL OF PALESTINE INSTITUTIONS

MR. A. FLEISHER, President
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Our Executive-Director, Mr. S. Pollack, has just returned from the Maritime Provinces, where he was successful in organizing branch offices of the Federated Council of Palestine Institutions.

In Moncton, N.B., the reply to Mr. S. Pollack's appeal on behalf of our 100 institutions in Israel was very successful. Not only did the following become directors of our Council in Moncton, but immediately gave their contributions, thus strengthening the aims of the Council in sending help to all the institutions.

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	six medium carrots

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Social Notes — Toronto

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Mrs. I. Caplan, Whitmore Avenue, is leaving for Miami, Florida, to be away for several months months with her daughter, Mrs. J. Hershenborn, and sons, Ronnie and Paul, 226 Forest Hill Road.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Baltman and family, formerly of 49 Rusholme Road, have moved to their new home, 10 Croydon Road.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Caplan, 162 Dewbourne Avenue, are spending several weeks in Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Green and family, formerly of 310 Spadina Road, are moving to their new home, 11 Windley Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Fine, formerly of 1392 Bathurst Street, have moved to 1588 Eglinton Avenue West.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Pollack, Ava Road, have as their guests the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Wise, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Maldaver, Dunvegan Road, are spending several days in New York, where they will be joined by Mr. and Mrs. R. Allander, of Detroit, Mich.

Out-of-town guests for the marriage of Miss Emily Laywine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Laywine, 24 Braemar Avenue, to Bernard E. Pivnick, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Pivnick, were: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Landsman and son, David; Mrs. J. Berger and Mrs. Judith Ephron, of New York.

Mrs. Irving Paisley, of Montreal, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Myer Sulman, Killarney Road, for several weeks.

Mrs. Harry L. Barron, and children, Judi Lee and Paul, Highbourne Road, are visiting her aunt, Mrs. Theresa Jacobs, of Buffalo, N. Y., for two weeks.

Mrs. David Rottman, of London, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Greenbaum, Vesta Drive, for several days.

Mrs. Lawrence A. Allen, Avenue Road, spent several weeks in Buffalo, N. Y., visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Steinberg, 117 Dewbourne Avenue, have as their guests her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. Klion, of New York, for several days.

Mrs. Nathan Freiman, Glenayr Road, has returned after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Salsman, Grosvenor Avenue, Montreal, Quebec.

Miss Rina Nashman, Castleview Avenue, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. Munter, for several weeks, in Rochester, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Steinberg and daughter, Irene, of Montreal, Que., are spending several days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Steinberg, 117 Dewbourne Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol. Eisen, Glenayr Road, are spending the holidays at at Ferndale, N.Y.

Mrs. Harold Gallander, 985 Avenue Road, spent several days in Montreal, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Caplan and daughter, Nancy, 124 Dewbourne Avenue, are spending several weeks in Miami, Florida.

Mrs. Nathan Fine, 1588 Eglinton Avenue West, returned from Peterborough, where she visited her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lanys, and her new grandson, Morley Howard Lanys.

Mrs. B. Metter, 82 Turner Road, is spending a month in Philadelphia, Pa., and New York, visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Edward Friedman, and son, Mitchell; and will be present at the bar-mitzvah of Robert Cooperman, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Cooperman.

Mrs. R. Stockman, of Montreal, Quebec, spent several days here and was present at the marriage of Miss Lila Rosbuck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Rosbuck, Hillcrest Drive, to Dr. Israel Strashin, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Strashin, Rosemary Road.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Pfeferman, 50 Madison Avenue, had as their guest their cousin, Mrs. Gilbert Stein, of Pittsburgh, Pa., for several days.

Miss Anne Chadwick, 19 Halton Street, is spending several weeks in New York, the guest of Miss Lila Rosenthal.

Out-of-town guests for the marriage of Miss Lillian Moran, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Moran, 188 Beatrice Street, to Norman Shaul, son of Dr. and Mrs. Nathan Shaul, Palmerston Boulevard were: Dr. and Mrs. David Shaul, of Buffalo, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moran and daughter, Miss Jean Moran, of New York; Benjamin Kraft, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. E. Stark, and daughter, Sandra, of Detroit, Mich.; and Mr. and Mrs. David Moran, of Flint, Mich.

Mrs. Arnold Rothschild, and son, Peter, of Kitchener, are spending several days visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. I. Willinsky, 120 Madison Avenue.

Present at the wedding of Miss Adelaine Podatsky, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Podatsky, 361 Grace Street, to Earl Freeman, son of Mrs. A. Cooper, 14 Borden Street, and the late Earl Freeman, were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Stinson of Montreal, Quebec; Mrs. Philip Brant, of Miami, Florida; Mr. and Mrs. M. Silverberg, of Windsor; and Mr. and Mrs. A. Tier, of Buffalo, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Lipkus, of Glace Bay, N. S., spent several days visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Saul Pfeferman, 50 Madison Avenue.

Present at the wedding of Miss Helen Grossman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Grossman, 466 Euclid Avenue, to Martin Glickman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Glickman of New York, who will be married at Hebrew Men of England Synagogue on Sunday, December 26, with Rabbi David Monson officiating, are: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Goldberg and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. Adler, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], Montreal, Quebec; Mr. and Mrs. J. Goldstein and daughter, Regina, of Windsor; Mr. and Mrs. S. Zweig, of Montreal, Quebec; Mr. and Mrs. M. Rotman, and Mrs. H. Jacques, of Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Cohen, 543 Castlefield Avenue, entertained at an evening: Mr. and Mrs. I. Mercal, Mr. and Mrs. H. Sherkin, Mr. and Mrs. J. Starr, Mr. and Mrs. K. Kaplan, Joseph Pavlove, Mr. and Mrs. D. Rivera, Mr. and Mrs. S. Charnos, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Goldstein.

Toronto Meetings

● SONS OF DAVID Ladies' Auxiliary meeting had Mrs. P. Kleinberg presiding. A bridge, at the home of Mrs. P. Kleinberg, Crawford Street, aided Israel. Those elected were: Mrs. P. Kleinberg, president; Mesdames J. Kline, D. Yaffe, N. Aarons, M. Gulke, B. Stern; others: Mesdames S. Goldfoot, H. Eisenberg, L. Feinstein, J. Adler, S. Goldstein, I. Kravitz, C. Title, P. Faibish, D. Yaffe, M. Viner, S. Hebuber. In charge of refreshments were: Mesdames I. Kravitz, H. Eisenberg, H. Smith.

● HADASSAH: Lillian Frieman Chapter met at the home of Mrs. C. Siegel, Bracondale Hill Road, Mrs. O. Newman presiding; Kadimah, at the home of Mrs. Harry Solway, 16 Glenholme Avenue; Beth Gan, at the home of Mrs. A. Ginsburg, 520 Richview Avenue, Mrs. Harold Minden presiding; Daughters of Zion, at the home of Mrs. B. Cotton, 948A Bloor Street West; discussion of tea to take place on Sunday, January 16, at the home of Mrs. C. Mirochnick, 57 Crang Avenue: Rose, luncheon meeting at the home of Mrs. H. Landow, 1043 Bathurst Street; discussion of Hadassah convention to take place in January, in Montreal; Mrs. C. Tenenbaum presiding; Elisha, at the home of Mrs. William Soren, 126 Strathearn Road; Annie Wolfson, at the home of Mrs. F. Daufman, 65 Indian Road, theatre night, Thursday, January 27, in the Royal Museum theatre; conveners, Mrs. I. Rubinoff, LL. 9862; and Mrs. H. Feinstein, MI. 9843; Herzlia held a social meeting, at the home of Mrs. S. Mandell, president, 1717 Bathurst Street. Balfour met at the home of Mrs. B. Rubin, 95 Rosebury Road; Rishon, at the home of Mrs. J. Young, 108 Dewbourne Avenue.

● CANADIAN JEWISH CONGRESS (Central Region): "In Search of Citizens," dealing with the story of a Jewish displaced person from the camps of Central Europe who has recently arrived in Canada, will be heard on Tuesday, December 28, at 8.00 p.m., over CJBC Toronto; CFCF Montreal; and stations of the Dominion Network.

● B'NAI BRITH WOMEN, Upper Canada Chapter Number 544: A meeting at the Royal York Hotel heard a report of the conference of the Eastern Canadian Council, in Windsor, by Miss Elsie Smith. Miss Shirley Kazman, chairman of the New Canadians Committee, announced a Chanukah party for refugee children to be held on December 28, at Bnai Brith House. The raffle, held monthly to aid the work at the Sunnybrook Hospital, was won by Miss Lucy Hartzman, the president. Anti-Defamation League chairman, Miss Marcia Simkins, introduced the guest speaker, Reverend Jones, director of the Canadian Council of Christians and Jews.

● CLUB EMANON tea, in aid of the new Mount Sinai Hospital, was at the home of Miss Dolores Fine, 83 Madison Avenue, who poured, together with Gertrude Greenglass, for one hundred and twenty-five guests. The table was decorated with a variety of flowers, and lighted white tapers.

● SINAIS annual Chanukah party will take place on Monday, December [illegible] at 497 Glencairn Avenue. [illegible] proposed. Mrs. B. Freiman made a presentation to Mrs. Charles Kay for the largest amount of money brought in for the dance program. Annual valentine dance takes place on February 2, proceeds for Mount Sinai Hospital and Aid To Israel. Ticket conveners: Mrs. Jack Kay, Mrs. S. Kaminker; program, Mesdames M. Sulman, Robert Gail, Max Freedman, H. Tobe. A Youth Aliyah tea will take place at the home of Mrs. N. Schwartz, Hillcrest Drive, on April 30.

● "In a democracy everyone must accept his share of responsibility toward the community," said Dr. J. J. Golub, director of the New York City Hospital for Joint Diseases, noted authority in hospital planning and consultant to the New Mount Sinai Hospital in Toronto, at the King Edward Hotel. He said it was the duty of the Jewish people to build concrete institutions for the aid of the whole community. Emphasizing the need for continuous medical education on the part of the doctors, he reported that there will be complete facilities for teaching and research purposes. Ben. Sadowski, co-chairman, stated that since the inception of the campaign, $2,264,000 has been raised against a total objective of $4,250,000, with the bulk of the campaign still to be carried on.

● PROGRESSIVE Zionist League dance is at the Banquet Hall, Royal York Hotel, on December 24. Convener is Morris Latchman. Ticket conveners, Jack Jacobson, Wa. 9052; Saul Mandelson, Mi. 5196. Dance is in aid of Histadruth.

● HEBREW WOMEN'S SOCIAL Service Convalescent Home: Senior and Junior chapters met, the president of the senior chapter, Mrs. H. Kamarner, introducing all the members of the junior chapter. The guest speaker was Captain Malvin Ormiston. Annual Chanukah night for Youth Aliyah takes place on Wednesday, December 29, at 7 p. m., at Eadorar Hall, Beverley Street. Mrs. Meyer Rotenberg will be guest speaker. The candles will be lit by Cantor S. Kramick. In charge of refreshments will be Mesdames H. Friedman, H. Applebaum, L. Weiner.

● LEIBOVITZ CIRCLE at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Leibovitz, 986 Shaw Street, with J. Leibovitz presiding, elected: Joseph Leibovitz, Beatrice Street, honorary president; Joseph Borovoy, president; Mrs. J. Leibovitz, Beatrice Street; Mrs. J. Leibovitz, Dufferin Street; E. Leibovitz, Miss Faye Leibovitz, Manning Avenue were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Leibovitz, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Leibovitz, Mr. and Mrs. J. Leibovitz, Beatrice Street; Mr. and Mrs. J. Borovoy, Mr. and Mrs. R. Goldstein, Mr. and Mrs. J. Leibovitz, Dufferin Street; Mr. and Mrs. E. Blatt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Leibovitz, Manning Avenue; Mrs. M. Leibovitz; Misses Helene Leibovitz, Faye Leibovitz; Jack Wainberg, Nathan Leibovitz. Congratulations were extended to Mr. and Mrs. E. Leibovitz on the approaching marriage of their daughter, Helene, to Jack Wainberg.

● HOLY BLOSSOM TEMPLE, Abraham L. Feinberg, Rabbi: Congregation committee chairmen are: Ira Berg, I. Brodey, S. Ciglen, Maurice Collins, M. E. Enkin, Jess Kaplan, S. Lobell, J. Maylen, O. Newman, Laurie T. Simonsky, David Vise. Harry A. Silbert is president. Parent Council Officers are: Mrs. David (Dr. Elsie) Palter; Mesdames Saul Greenwood, Al. Goldblatt, Sol. Alter, Jacob Kaplan, Charles Sanders, Percy Paternak, B. Rosenberg, S. G. Marcus, A. Webber, Barry Perlman, Albert Steinberg, David Steinhauer; Mesdames Harry Posen and Noah Sadowski, ex-officio. Youth group members who are on posts of the Jewish Youth Council, are: Larry Enkin, chairman, who is past-president of the Temple Youth Group; Harvey Wolfe, Zena Lotrofsky, David Satok, Gertrude Stein. Singing Groups, under direction of Emil Gartner, have as conveners: Mrs. Percy Herman, Jack Wainberg, David Shiffman.

● MIZRACHI WOMEN'S Council: Meeting of all chapters and afternoon tea at Yeshivah Torah Chaim heard as guest speakers: Mrs. D. Rabinowitz, of New York; Mrs. B. Gottfeld, Mizrachi Women's Representative in Israel. Chairman was Mrs. M. Salb; conveners, Mrs. C. Weingarten, Mrs. [illegible] Haifa Chapter meeting [illegible] home of Mrs. L. Miller, [illegible] Street. Mrs. I. Edell president. New members, Mrs. R. Freed and Mrs. H. Reichman, were welcomed.

● CAMP OGAMA campers and staff will gather for the annual reunion at the Prince George Hotel on Sunday, December 26, at 2.30 p.m. in the Plaza Room. Technicolor movies of the past season will be shown. Bernard Charnos, chairman of the Camper's Council, will preside. Registration for Camp Ogama on Fox Lake, in the Muskoka district, will open.

● B'NAI BRITH Ontario Lodge elected: president, M. Hershberg; S. Mannis, H. Shore, H. Freeman, H. Kleinberg; trustees: M. Ross, B. Adelman; M. Goldberg, H. Brinder.

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CHANUKAH LAMPS IN THE JEWISH MUSEUM ARE THE RICHEST

By Dr. Guido Schoenberger, Research Fellow Of The Jewish Museum

One of the most original and most outspoken features of Jewish art is its intrinsic ability of creating the forms of ceremonial objects. This applies especially to the various lamp forms. The significant role attributed to the light in general and to the kindling of lights on the Sabbath and Festival Days guided the artistic power of the Jewish people in this direction. Chanukah, the Festival recalling the purification of the Temple by the Maccabees and with it the rekindling of the renewed candlestick of the Temple is solemnly and joyfully the Festival of Light par excellence.

To the historically established facts which caused the festival's celebration a gentle legend was added in Talmudic times telling that one small bottle of oil found unspoiled lasted for eight days to feed the candlestick of the rededicated Temple. Soon the custom was established to kindle for eight days in a row, one more light each evening until the impressive row of eight lights was burning. This created a lamp with eight burners to which a ninth, a servant lamp or shamash, was added which kindled the festival lights.

There are two basically different types of Chanukah lamps, one being clearly connected with the form of the Temple Menorah, a lamp-stand having a center stem and four branches on each side carrying the eight lamps, the shamash being attached to the center stem; the other consisting of a low horizontal row of eight figurated burners attached to a backwall of triangular or arched form fitting for hanging on the wall or standing on a table; here the shamash is attached to most often to the upper right. Up to the 18th century oil was used exclusively, about 1850 the use of kindling the Chanukah lamp is proved by the sources, no example is preserved prior to the late middle ages which can be truly called a Chanukah lamp. As in many other cases of ceremonial objects the Talmud is unconcerned about its artistic form. The purity of the fuel, the purity of the material of the wick is discussed which guarantees the purity of the light itself; this is what matters first; secondly the place is mentioned where the lamp should be kindled: in the private home of the Jewish family, on the doorpost opposite the mezuzah or on the window sill that it can be seen from the street and everybody can partake in recalling the glorious fact of the rededication of the Temple. Only in time of danger it should be put in the interior of the room.

Thus the early history of the forms of the Chanukah lamp itself remain hypothetic. Since the rekindling of the seven-branched candlestick is so important an act in the genesis of the festival, one might be inclined to presume that early Chanukah lamps were similar to the Temple Menorah. But this most likely was not the case, because a duplication of the objects of the temple service was forbidden by Talmudic law. On the other hand, as the lamp was used in the Jewish home only, we may assume that the form was similar to the general forms of rather small Mediterranean oil lamps adapted to eight wicks. In fact, one or two examples of this kind are preserved. However their use as Chanukah lamps is not certain.

Perhaps in the beginning, just one-wick lamps were placed together, one more every day; yet in the course of time these lamps were combined in one continuous row of eight figurated burners. With the 18th century the Chanukah lamp was kindled also in the synagogue and this might have caused the revival of the form of the Temple Menorah, the change from six to eight branches and from seven to nine lights including the shamash being a change sufficient not to harm the aforementioned Talmudic law.

The Jewish Museum in New York possesses a collection of Chanukah lamps which is, as far as the variety of forms and the importance of single examples is concerned, the most extensive and richest in existence, due to many donors but especially to the efforts of the collector, Dr. Harry G. Friedman. A choice of the best is on permanent display in the Museum, many are sent all over the country to various exhibitions and the rest always accessible for study in the well-organized store collection. The collection offers a unique possibility to compare the forms of lamps from the 16th century on all of the important groups of the Diaspora.

Eastern European and Mediterranean lamps are made mostly of brass or bronze, so are the Dutch lamps of the 17th and 18th century; Western Europe, especially Germany, prefers pewter and silver, but there is also a delicate group of silver filigree lamps made in Ukraine since the 19th century. Rare examples are made of pottery. Thorough study allows the establishment of local types of famous communities like Prague or Kiev, of Vienna or Frankfort. There are very few from America up to now; in this group the Museum would welcome any addition.

Still more significant than the difference in material are the varieties or ornaments found in the different parts of the Diaspora. In the east, including the Mediterranean, the tradition of the old symbolism of the Temple Menorah as the Tree of Life is predominant throughout the centuries, appearing very often on the backwall of the Chanukah lamps between lions or stags or birds like phoenixes, eagles or doves, very much in the same way as one finds it already in late antiquity. There appears also in the center of the backwall [illegible] or a Temple [illegible] even figural representations can be found, in the West or in Italy, the figure of Judith or Judas Maccabeus, in Prague the figures of Moses and Aaron.

In the East, the works are done mostly by Jewish masters, in the West mainly by Christian masters, since the Jews were excluded from the craftsman's guild. Therefore, we find in the West a much stronger influence of surrounding art and the Jewish symbols appear within an arrangement of beautiful but strongly secularized ornaments of the respective periods. As in all these sections, the Museum tries to connect the remote past with the living presence, thus modern pieces made in America or Eretz Israel are put on display along with the old works to show the tradition as well as the modern approach towards the task of creating a beautiful Chanukah lamp.

• MONTREAL MEETINGS •

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in Israel for the purpose of examining the rare manuscripts and books housed there.

● SPANISH and PORTUGUESE Synagogue, Dr. Solomon Frank, Rabbi: Services, Friday, December 24, at 4.00. Saturday, at 9.00. Sermon, "The Eternal Light." Daily Minyan services at 7.30; 8.30 on Sunday. Chanukah celebration and dance takes place on Sunday, December 26, at 8.30. At the Sisterhood bridge and tea a drawing was held for the gold watch donated by S. Winnert which was won by Miss Pat Reddy of the Associated Broadcasting Company. Next meeting, Tuesday, January 11. Young People's Assembly Chanukah celebration, Dr. Frank and Rabbi Kastner participating, will be held on Wednesday, December 29, at 8.30. All young men and women invited. Junior services were conducted by Peter Rosenstreif, Howard Rottenburg, Allan Bellman, Murray Goldsmith, Michael Kurstatt, Stephen Goodis, Eleanor Gaffin, Maxine Schwartz. Annual meeting elected to the Board of Trustees for the coming year: president, Capt. W. Solomon-Montefiore, M.C.; others: Samuel Rosenberg, Max Fineberg, Samuel Gitmon, Martin Goldsmith, H. J. Endrich; trustees: S. G. Benlolo, Percy Cupkin, Irving Freeman, Abe Rill, A. L. Goldsmith, Jess Ginsberg, Gerald Goldwater, F. B. Hart, Allan Grossman, M. H. Moscovitch, Peter Wise, Major B. Levy.

● SHAARE ZION SYNAGOGUE, Maurice S. Cohen, Rabbi: To mark the seventy-fifth birthday of Professor Louis Ginsberg, of the Jewish Theological Seminary of America, and observe Jewish Book Month, Rabbi Cohen will speak about the influence of this scholar upon Jewish life, at service on Friday, December 24, at 8.30 p.m. Oneg Shabbat. William Rogg, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Rogg, will be called to the Torah on Saturday, December 25, in celebration of his bar-mitzvah; kiddush following. Junior Congregation service had with Abraham Hartman, Wesley Rappoport, Herbert Miller, Eric Mauer conducting; Philip Lipshitz, principal of the school, as a guest; Howard Cohen, Ralph Klineberg, Stanley Diamond, Harold Caplan, Ian Hart, Sidney Brenner, Irwin Brenner, Conrad Cohen, Beatrice Ludmer, Beatrice Smith taking part; Rabbi Cohen, guest speaker. He installed: Conrad Cohen, president; Eric Mauer, Nancy Yellin, Ralph Klineberg, Howard Cohen. Hebrew School Chanukah program was given by: Zev Rappoport, Yehuda Vineberg, music instructor; Robert Rosenblatt, Michael Malus Elisabeth Ruth Hart, Diana Gersovitz, Margaret Richer, Rona Zabitsky. Sisterhood, Mrs. I. Beinhakar presiding, celebrated Chanukah. Mrs. J. Caplan, Mrs. M. Chisling, Jerry Charness, dramatic reader; Miss Naomi Wershof, singer, accompanied by Miss Charlotte Barrier; Mesdames W. H. Cohen, M. S. Cohen, S. E. Tessler took part. Hostesses were: Mesdames I. Wachman, B. Sperber, F. Witsling, A. Weiner, I. Wilder, A. Ship, H. K. Nadler, I. Laing.

● HADASSAH: Cabaret Nite, celebrating the first anniversary of Ethel Epstein Ein Chanter, takes place at Shaare Zion Community Hall, on Saturday, December 18, at 8.15 p.m. Dinner will be served before the floor show begins. Dance contest, professional entertainment, orchestra. All proceeds go to Youth Aliyah. Additional subscribers are: Mr. and Mrs. M. Aronovitch, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bell, Mr. and Mrs. B. Brownleader, Mr. and Mrs. J. Berger, Mr. and Mrs. S. Baum, Mr. and Mrs. N. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. S. Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. A. Boyaner, Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Bessner, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Conrad, Mr. and Mrs. L. Cazakevitch, Mr. and Mrs. B. Cassiel[illegible], Mr. and Mrs. S. Dallin, Mr. and Mrs. V. Dobrinsky, Mr. and Mrs. S. Derrick, Mr. and Mrs. L. Draplin, Mr. and Mrs. B. Erdis, Mr. and Mrs. L. Freedman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Fallen, Mr. and Mrs. S. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. D. Goldstein, Mr. and Mrs. R. Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. D. Goldsman, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Handelsman, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Halpern, Mr. and Mrs. H. Halperin, Mr. and Mrs. I. Heaneman, Mr. and Mrs. Max Jacobson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kahane, Mr. and Mrs. I. Klein, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Lipsay, Mr. and Mrs. H. Letofsky, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lanner, Mr. and Mrs. J. Levitt, Mr. and Mrs. R. Luterman, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Levine, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Sol. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. S. Nagus, Sol. Nusmtin, Mr. and Mrs. T. Parnass, Mr. and Mrs. Sam. Roth, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Roth, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rother, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Steinberg, Mr. and Mrs. I. Simon, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schwisberg, Mr. and Mrs. S. Singer, Mr. and Mrs. A. Singer, Mr. and Mrs. N. Silverman, Mr. and Mrs. S. Shaposnick, Mr. and Mrs. S. Shapiro, Mr. and Mrs. H. Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. A. Shryman, Mr. and Mrs. N. Steinberg, Mr. and Mrs. L. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. L. Silverman, Mr. and Mrs. A. Shapiro, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Weiss, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. B. Zackon. Dance convener is Mrs. S. Warshaw, assisted by Miss Sarah Ein, WIlbank 6290; Miss Shirley Epstein, WAlnut 6883; Mrs. J. Steinberg, EXdale 3067; Mrs. S. Schwartz, ELwood 6242. Chapter meeting Monday, December 27, at 1.30, is: Herman Abramowitz, at Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue; Mrs. S. Barsa, president. Chapters meeting at 2.30 are: Adath Israel, Chanukah bridge, at the home of Mrs. H. Schwartz, 965 Davaar Avenue; Eleanor Machlovitch Firestone, at the home of Mrs. M. Machlovitch, 3330 Van Horne Avenue, with Mrs. S. Diamond as hostess; Hazna Rifka Central, at the home of Mrs. W. Barush, 5670 Park Avenue; Nair Tamid, at the home of Mrs. S. Spiro, 2287 Old Orchard Avenue; North End, at the home of Mrs. D. Levitsky, 825 de l'Epee Avenue; Queen Esther, Chanukah card party, at the home of Mrs. C. Hoffer, 615 Champagneur Avenue; Rachel Levinson, at Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue, with Mrs. M. Strean as hostess; Bertie Michel Bandler, Viennese artist, will give folk songs in many languages; Shaare Zion, at the synagogue, with Mrs. E. Chisling presiding. Chapters meeting Monday, at 8.30 p.m., are: Chaya Sara Shier, at the home of Mrs. Etta Shier, 3210 Maplewood Avenue; Beth Kasigshang, at the home of Mrs. A. Schachter, 6053 Park Avenue; Emes Israel, at the home of Mrs. L. Rubin, 3902 Clark Street; Lillian Freiman, at the home of Mrs. A. Berbrier, 5647 Canterbury Avenue; Miriam Brainin Ortenberg, at Zionist Headquarters; Mrs. M. Bernkoff is president; Palestinian movie; Mount Carmel, at the home of Mrs. Philip Bramson, 736 Querbes Avenue; Rachel Anna Leavy, at the home of Mrs. W. Truh, 3065 Brighton Avenue; Rachel Leah Ethel, at the home of Mrs. J. Glassman, 6570 Papineau Avenue; Shaindel Gordon, at the home of Mrs. S. Cohen, 866 McEachran Avenue; Syra Miriam Long Spears, at the home of Mrs. Charles Beutel, 836 Pratt Avenue; Ziona, at the home of Mrs. H. Fishman, 4785 Ridgevale Avenue. Chapters meeting Tuesday, at 2.30, are: Shoshana, at the home of Mrs. L. Shaffran, 4237 Esplanade Avenue; Young Ladies Zionist, Chanukah tea and quiz program, at the home of Mrs. H. Levine, 5009 Victoria Avenue. Chapters meeting Tuesday, at 8.30 p.m., are: Aaron David, mixed Chanukah social, at the home of Mrs. S. Weiser, 458 Outremont Avenue, with Mrs. L. Miller, as guest speaker; Judith, at the home of Mrs. M. Babins, 4540 Clark Street; yearly raffle; Mary Hinda Bernstein, Chanukah meeting, at the home of Mrs. H. Schwartzman, 117 Mount Royal Avenue West, with Mrs. I. B. Rose as guest speaker; Nathan Dizzy, Chanukah tea, at the home of Mrs. N. Hubner, 5910 Esplanade Avenue. Chapter meeting Wednesday, at 8.30 p.m., is: Elka Leah Finestone, at the home of Mrs. H. Harris, 3411 Jeanne Mance Street. Cinderella, holiday treat for children, will be given on Tuesday, December 28, at 2.30 p.m., at Victoria Hall, directed by Dorothy Davis and Violet Walters, sponsored by Mount Carmel Chapter. Tickets at the Willis Company. Conveners are Mrs. J. Rosenberg, CRescent 7142; Mrs. J. Zuckerman, CAlumet 3041.

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Sydney Reuben, of New York, died in his forty-sixth year. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Minnie Reuben; three children, Natalie, Bertha, Stanley; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Reuben; brothers, Samuel, Solomon, Irving; and sisters, Mrs. Helen Barman, all of New York; and Mrs. S. Freeman (Celia), of Bayonne, N.J. He was a cousin of Mrs. M. Bernholtz, 633 College Street; and of Joseph Cudeck, 345 Grace Street.

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Commentaries

By Dr. Harry J. Stern, Rabbi

Let Jews Observe Chanukah And Let Christians Observe Christmas

Chanukah and Christmas occur simultaneously this year and we are glad for it. Both of these festivals are festivals of light, and the world is certainly in need of light and enlightenment. Jews at this season kindle Chanukah tapers in commemoration of the historic event of the Maccabean defeat over the Syrian pagans, and restoration of monotheism.

Christians kindle Christmas tapers recalling with homage the nativity of the Jewish child born in Bethlehem, born within the Jewish fold, who has become their inspiration for noble living. What a glorious opportunity Jewish parents have in the Chanukah observance to inculcate in the hearts of their children a love for the historic and heroic heritage of Israel! Why not have the Chanukah man come to the home, bringing gifts to the children on all eight days of the festival? Children will love Chanukah and they will no longer envy the Christian playmates who are the beneficiaries of Santa Claus on only one night.

With the greatest of reverence for Christian observance at all times, it ill becomes Jews to imitate the observances of their Christian neighbours. It is certainly no hardship to tell our Jewish children that in Jewish homes we light the beautiful Chanukah Menorah and not the beautiful Christmas tree. The Christmas tree is an observance that is strictly Christian and no matter what Jewish decorations we may place upon it, it is a symbol of the Christian faith and is not in harmony with Jewish observance, to say the least. If we wish truly to be respected it is most essential that we practice as Jews, and not indulge in being poor imitators of the goyim. Our Christian neighbours will respect us all the more.

Why not invite our Christian friends to our homes and demonstrate to them the beauty of the Chanukah festival? Why not have Christian children come to our homes and let them see how Jewish boys and girls light the Chanukah Menorah and sing old traditional hymns of the synagogue? Here is a grand opportunity of [illegible] tide so that Jewish children in turn may come to know and appreciate the great religion of Christianity. Thus shall we be able to advance the cause of better understanding between the adherents of the two great faiths. What a pity that Jews and Christians know so little of each other's religious heritage. Hence, the misunderstandings and the lack of appreciation for one another.

On all festivals of church and synagogue, there are the opportunities for the building of a meaningful religious fellowship. We should seize these opportunities and increase the cause of religion in the world.

The Synagogue In A New Age

Ours is a challenging age. A generation ago man was optimistic. He believed in progress and human advancement. However, the human situation in the present is in the reverse. Man is very pessimistic. Toynbee, the great historian of our day, speaks of the present age as a time of great anxiety. Church and synagogue have the great challenge of the present to restore faith in the hearts of men and women. Can the religious institutions meet the challenge?

Certainly, science, it is self-evident, can no longer be expected to bring salvation to the human race. In fact, the scientists in their own experimentations have reached a point where they themselves are in fear of their own creations. The atomic bomb has ushered in a new age indeed! Whither shall man escape from the fearful and destructive instruments which science has made possible? We can learn to control the scientific achievements and use these for constructive ends, providing we have a code of virtue by which to order our lives. Religion is the only force in the world which disciplines us into a way of life that will give decency to our society. This is the great task of religion in this very terrific hour of human history.

Religion is the very means which can provide for us courage to endure the tensions and anxieties of our day. Only by the comfort of religion can we manage to meet the hourly tribulations of the present. Not only are we perplexed by the personal tragedies that come to all of us, but we are also overwhelmed by the world irritations which perplex and disturb all peoples. Religion is the only philosophy which can give us vision, so essential that we may rise above the spiritual fog which has descended upon the human race. Without vision we shall indeed perish! If man is to be fit to live, his soul as well as his body must be sustained, and it is because man has neglected his soul that we to-day find ourselves in this terrifying age.

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and for the conduct of the joint campaign."

The United Palestine Appeal, the Joint Distribution Committee and the United Service for New Americans are the principal beneficiaries of the united fund-raising.

Mr. Rosenberg announced that the Committee of Contributors had cancelled its scheduled conference in Atlantic City "in view of the settlement of the issues." He added:

"It is mutually expected by all concerned that upon the call to communities to designate their representatives, which will be done in accordance with the agreement, no vestige of any division affecting the UPA will be left."

In hailing the settlement, Mr. Rosenberg said that "communities throughout the nation will greet the news with enthusiasm and with renewed determination to raise maximum funds to meet the crucial needs of Israel during the coming year." The resolution of differences, the announcement said, would hasten reconstitution of the United Jewish Appeal, which had a goal of $250,000,000 this year.

Negotiators for the two groups, in a joint statement, said that the settlement "insures continuation of a united fund-raising effort in 1949 to meet the tremendous needs of Israel." They pledged themselves to work in behalf of immigration to Israel and to proceed "with the utmost urgency to establish the United Jewish Appeal for 1949."

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[illegible] he was [illegible] tal and afterwards Beth Israel Hospital, both in New York. In December of 1946 he married Miss Florsheim. He moved to Washington in July of this year to establish his own office.

Dr. Heller was one of three former prisoners in the Nazi horror camp at Buchenwald who told U.S. senators behind closed doors about the conduct of red-haired Ilse Koch, widow of the former camp commandant. Frau Koch has been accused of ordering prisoners killed so she could use their skin for lampshades, and of many bestialities, and has denied guilt. All testimony was kept secret, but Brig.-Gen. Emil Kiel told correspondents outside the hearing room he believed Frau Koch should serve a full life sentence for her part in Buchenwald atrocities. The Senate investigating subcommittee was seeking facts regarding the reduction of the woman's life sentence to four years. The reduction was approved by Gen. Lucius Clay, American military governor in Germany.

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tempted to condone the excesses and in some instances even encouraged the mob."

The position of the Jews in Iraq, it is cited, is even more precarious than those in Egypt. Jews are prevented from leaving the country, it is charged; their property and goods have been frozen, Jewish officials of the government have been placed under house-arrest, and hundreds of Jews have been placed in internment camps on trumped-up charges without recourse to trial.

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suffered in any way as a consequence of the hostilities.

In any case, he added, the movement of Jewish displaced persons to Israel is permitted by the United Nations Mediator and by the resolutions of the Security Council. Mr. Warren concluded by saying that Jews were clearly eligible for immigration to Israel under the organization's constitution, and there was no reason why they should be discriminated against.

No attempt was made to answer Mr. Warren's arguments. Several delegations stated they could not take any position in the matter under discussion till they had received instructions from their respective governments. It was finally agreed to defer any decision until January.

Israeli Rabbi Gets Award In N. Y.

The annual $1,000 Mordecai Ben David prize of Yeshiva University was awarded to Dr. Isaac Halevi Herzog, chief rabbi of Palestine, at a dinner at the Hotel Astor, in New York, celebrating the twentieth anniversary of the founding of the university's college of liberal arts and sciences.

Charles A. Silver, who presided, announced that Yeshiva University would be prepared to open a medical school in 1952.

James A. Farley, a speaker at the dinner, said:

"I am sure that a medical school as part of Yeshiva University deserves and will receive support not only from people of the Jewish faith but from men and women of all faiths.

"I want to congratulate Dr. Samuel Belkin, president of Yeshiva University, and the members of the Yeshiva faculty on their great strides toward bringing about a better understanding of Jewish cultural ideals."

Presentation of the award to Dr. Herzog was made by Dr. Leo Jung, Professor of Ethics at Yeshiva, and accepted on Dr. Herzog's behalf by a member of the Israeli mission in the United States.

In a transcribed message, Dr. Herzog expressed gratitude for the award and appreciation for aid Israel has received from the United States. He urged that this support be continued and increased.

G. S. Eyaseli, president of Radio City Music Hall, and George Schaefer, former president of Radio-Keith-Orpheum, received certificates of merit for many years of service to Yeshiva University as as chairmen of the Motion Picture Industry Scholarship Fund.

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